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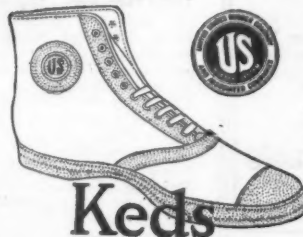
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ARMY RETIREMENTS.

Col. Lucien G. Berry, Field Art., U.S.A., was retired from active service June 16, 1921, upon his own application after more than thirty-eight years' service. During the World War Colonel Berry served as a brigadier general in the National Army and was in command of the 60th Field Artillery Brigade overseas, which was with the 35th Division, U.S.A. He was in the Spanish-American War, the Philippines, the Boxer uprising, on the Texas border and at Vera Cruz, Mexico. He went to France with his brigade and was in action at St. Mihiel and in the Argonne Forest. The 35th Division was assigned to attack the strongest point of the Hindenburg line at Bouquiose Hill. It was ordered to take that point which was held by two divisions and part of a third division of the Prussian Guards. The 35th Division not only took the position, but advanced twelve miles. He was acting chief of Artillery of the 35th Division during the Argonne-Meuse operation and the strong advance of this division brought it ahead of the divisions on its right and left and enabled them to advance. Colonel Berry and his brigade remained in the Sommedieue sector, east of Verdun, after the relief of the 35th Division and supported the attack by the 81st Division against the Germans on Nov. 9, 10 and 11 and remained in the sector to the middle of January, 1919. Colonel Berry is a graduate of the Artillery School and of the Army War College. Colonel Berry was born in New York Nov. 29, 1863, and is a graduate of the U.S. M.A., class of 1886, when he was assigned to the 4th Artillery. He subsequently served as an officer of the 2d, 3d and 6th Artillery, 5th, 2d, 6th, 2d, 3d and 78th Field Artillery. He has been on sick leave for some time.

Col. Charles H. Paine, Inf., U.S.A., was placed on the retired list June 16, 1921, upon his own application after more than thirty years' service. He was born in Vermont March 22, 1871, and was graduated from the U.S.M.A., June 12, 1895, when he was assigned to the 15th Infantry. He served with that organization and also with the 8th Infantry in Philippine campaigns, and after becoming captain, 29th Inf., Feb. 2, 1901, he served with that command in the Philippines. Among subsequent duties he served as an instructor of drawing at the U.S.M.A. and went again to the Philippines in 1908 with the 29th Infantry. He was later on duty with the regiment in the Panama Canal Zone, and was at Camp Custer, Mich., in 1917, with 160th Depot Brigade and Camp Logan, Texas, in 1918, as range officer, 33d Division. He was in command of the 160th Infantry Brigade, Camp Custer, May 19 to July 15, 1918, and was later in command of the camp and of the 160th Depot Brigade and demobilization camp to Feb. 22, 1919, and was later on recruiting duty. He was last on duty with the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Col. John H. Rice, Ord. Dept., U.S.A., upon his own application was placed on the retired list June 16, 1921, after more than thirty-two years' service. Colonel Rice is the holder of the D.S.M. for his services during the World War. He was appointed a brigadier general, National Army, Feb. 18, 1918, and was honorably discharged Sept. 15, 1919. At the beginning of the war Colonel Rice was chief of the Carriage Division, Ord. Dept., with rank of lieutenant colonel. The division had charge, for the entire Army, of design, procurement, inspection, test, issue, repair and maintenance of all machine guns, special motor equipment, tanks, and all classes of gun carriages for Artillery, with equipment and accessories. From the beginning of the war until December, 1917, when the Ordnance Department was reorganized, the Carriage Division, which Colonel Rice reorganized and expanded, placed orders and contracts for about \$700,000,000 worth of material and facilities and transacted all the business of design, inspection, etc., connected with this work. Colonel Rice as a temporary brigadier general was chief of the Engineering Division, which he organized and operated. It was charged with preparing and procuring all designs and specifications for all classes of Ordnance matériel and also did a great deal of work in connection with procurement and inspection. On June 15, 1918, there were in the division about 400 officers and 1,550 civilians and enlisted men. On June 19, 1918, the then General Rice went to France as Chief of Engineering Division, office of Chief Ordnance Officer, A.E.F., for the purpose of co-ordinating these activities in the United States and abroad. He organized and operated the division in France until Oct. 1, 1918, when he was appointed Chief Ordnance Officer, A.E.F. He then had charge of about 2,000 officers and 22,000 enlisted men, as well as procurement abroad, storage, issue, repair and maintenance of ordnance for a maximum of about 2,000,000 troops. After the armistice and until his return to the U.S. in August, 1919, he had charge of all Ordnance work of clearing the first and second Army areas of unexploded fired ammunition, of salvaging and disposing of enormous quantities of ammunition, both German and American in dumps, of overhauling and returning to the U.S. all American ammunition and matériel retained, also captured and surrendered German ordnance; of disposition and delivery of matériel and supplies sold, and of concentrating and returning to the U.S. the Ordnance officers and troops. At the time of his retirement from active service he was Chief of Manufacture of the Ordnance Department, in charge of all details of design and production and inspection, including supervision and direction of manufacturing arsenals. Colonel Rice, in addition to the D.S.M., has received from the President of the French Republic, represented by Marshal Petain, the decoration of Commander of the French Legion of Honor. He was born in Missouri, Jan. 6, 1870, and is a graduate of the U.S. M.A., class of 1893. He served in the 3d Cavalry until Nov. 21, 1898, when he was transferred to the Ordnance. Since that time he has served at the Watervliet Arsenal, West Point, the Ordnance Proving Grounds, Philippine Islands, as inspector of Ordnance in Ohio and Pennsylvania, in the office of the Chief of Ordnance,

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Lieut. Col. Frederick B. Hennessy, Field Art., U.S.A., who was retired from active service June 16, 1921, for disability incident thereto, was born in Massachusetts Dec. 20, 1879, and entered the Regular Army Aug. 25, 1901, as a second lieutenant in the Artillery Corps. He had previously served during the war with Spain as a private and corporal in the 1st Rhode Island Infantry, and also as a first sergeant and second lieutenant of the 27th U.S. Volunteer Infantry, taking part in Philippine campaigns. He also served as a second lieutenant of Philippine Scouts. Colonel Hennessy during the World War served with the 12th and 6th Field Artillery and was overseas with the A.E.F. He has been under medical treatment for some time in the Walter Reed General Hospital.

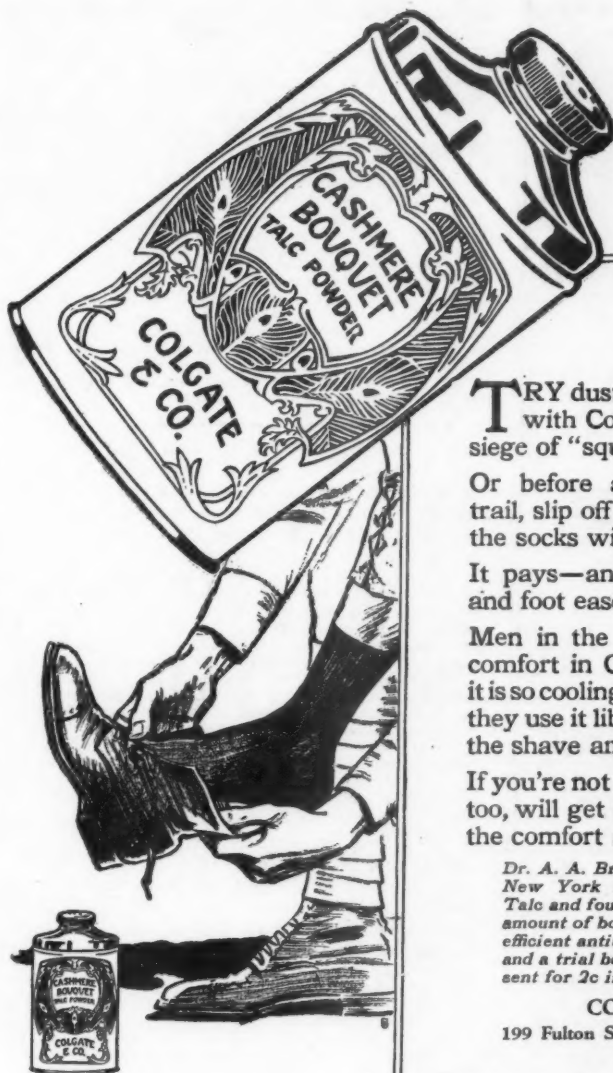
RECENT PUBLICATIONS.

The Motor Launch Patrol, by Gordon S. Maxwell and Donald Maxwell (E. P. Dutton and Co.: New York). The writer, Gordon S. Maxwell, was a lieutenant in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, while his associate, who held a similar rank and was an Admiralty official artist, made the twenty excellent monochrome drawings with which the book is illustrated. The work, which contains a foreword by Vice Admiral Sir Rogers Keyes, British navy, who commanded the Reserve during the World War, is an account of the operations of the motor launch division in the war, and concerns more particularly the operations on the Belgian coast. The account is, of course, an informal one, but nonetheless interesting and worth while. Following a prolog by Henry R. Sutphin, who was chiefly responsible for the construction of the motor launches which took so important a part in actions against the enemy, the happenings of these craft and their crews are related in an amusing and at the same time thrilling manner, particularly the chapters, "The Hundred Minutes," which concerns the historic attack of ships of the British fleet at Ostend in 1918, and "The Double Offensive," relating to the operations at Zeebrugge. There is also a chapter on "The Silent Coast," which gives Lieut. Gordon S. Maxwell's impressions of the Belgian coast after a visit following the driving off of the Germans. The accompanying illustrations add to the value and interest of the book.

Old Naval Days, Sketches from the Life of Rear Admiral William Radford, U.S.N., by Mme. Sophie Radford de Meissner (Henry Holt and Co.). It has been given to few officers of our Navy to have their span of service witness so many changes in administration, ships and methods as was the lot of the late Rear Admiral William Radford, whose experiences afloat and ashore are set down in this volume out of the affectionate memories of his daughter. Born in 1809 in Virginia, Admiral Radford was appointed to the Navy as a midshipman on March 1, 1825, his first assignment being on the U.S.S. Brandywine when that vessel carried Lafayette and his son back to France from his visit to the United States. That Radford was the traditionally careless young midshipman of that era is revealed through the statement that although liberally furnished with pocket-money he reached France penniless, having loaned the sum total of his capital to the caterer of the midshipmen's mess. He served under Commodore John Rodgers in the Mediterranean, on board the sloop-of-war Erie in the West Indies in 1829, and in 1831 he became a passed midshipman, arriving at the lieutenant's grade in 1837. He went to the Pacific coast in 1843 on board the Savannah; was transferred to the Warren, taking a part in activities along the California coast at the outbreak of the Mexican War. One of his unusual experiences, for a Navy officer, was his return overland to the Atlantic coast with General Kearny in 1847. In 1860 he was ordered to China, where he was on duty when the Civil War broke out; and although a Southerner by birth he remained loyal to the Service and the Flag. He was appointed to command the U.S.S. Cumberland in 1862, but had the misfortune to be on detached duty when his ship was attacked by the Merrimac. When he learned of the engagement he rode horseback to Newport News, his mount falling dead as he dismounted, arriving there just in time to see the Cumberland sink under the fire of the Merrimac's guns. In 1865 he was appointed to command of the North Atlantic Squadron as acting rear admiral, his permanent promotion to the grade of rear admiral coming a year later. In 1869 he went abroad on the U.S.S. Franklin, his family accompanying him on the ship in spite of the fact that he held "a naval ship was no place for women." In March, 1870, he was placed on the retired list. He died Jan. 8, 1890. Mme. de Meissner had been hampered in her work as her father's biographer by his lifelong aversion to keeping any personal records, but this is atoned for by his activities in the Service; for he was always a man given to action rather than words. The charm of Mme. de Meissner's volume was well expressed by Rear Admiral Charles O'Neil, U.S.N., who as noted in a recent reference to the book, wrote that it "is really a classic, a beautiful tribute to a gallant, lovable character of the Old Navy, and to the Navy itself, which should be an inspiration to the rising generation."

How America Went to War, by Benedict Crowell, former Assistant Secretary of War, and Robert Forrest Wilson, formerly captain, C.W.S., U.S.A. (Yale University Press: New Haven, Conn.). Vol. I, The Giant Hand. Vols. II and III, The Road to France. "In commemoration of the work of the 8,000 Yale men who took part in the World War, 1914-1918," the Yale University Press has begun the publication of this six-volume history, of which the three volumes noted have been issued. The remaining volumes are to include "The Armies of Industry," in two volumes, and "Demobilization" in one volume. It was announced that this history was intended to be "a personal story of the great task told by men who were in a position to know the facts" and not "a mere compilation of reports and statistics." This the first three volumes prove to be in accomplishment. The hundreds of illustrations in each volume, reproduced from War and Navy Departments photographs, add materially to the extremely interesting and spirited narrative. The Giant Hand (Vol. I) describes how war industry was controlled during hostilities, the creation of the War Industries Board with its organization and personnel, and gives many intimate and hitherto unpublished details of price fixing, priority, industrial conversion and conservation, Allied purchases in all their ramifications, and the foreign activities of

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Practical Minor Tactics, by Col. Jens Bugge, U.S.A. (D. Appleton and Co.: New York). The text of this book, written shortly before Colonel Bugge's death on July 17, 1919, was originally prepared for the use of the cadets at the U.S. Military Academy, both to teach them something of minor tactics and also to illustrate how to instruct others in this important branch of the

military profession. Colonel Bugge wrote in his preface: "The work is purposely elementary and is limited to the things most essential for a second lieutenant in the tactical instruction of troops. It is entirely practical and shows the student in detail how to teach those principles which are involved in the leading of small detachments." He also wrote: "The Field Service Regulations and Infantry Drill Regulations contain all the principles herein enunciated, but both fail to show the beginner how this information may best be imparted to others." It is in the fact that Colonel Bugge's posthumous volume imparts this information so clearly that its great merit lies. After an introduction showing the object of the course and methods of instruction the text is divided into nine chapters: Messages; Patrolling; Advance, Flank and Rear Guards; Outposts; Offensive Combat; Defensive Combat; Preparation of Tactical Problems. There is an index and a map, this being the Hunterstown sheet of the Gettysburg-Antietam war game map on which all the problems in the book are based. Major Gen. John F. Morrison, U.S.A., contributes a foreword in the course of which he says that the book "as could have been expected from its author, is admirably suited to the purpose for which Colonel Bugge prepared it. . . . To a very large part of the Army the book needs no other recommendation than that it was prepared by Colonel Bugge. His known ability and knowledge of his profession, together with his enthusiastic and painstaking efforts to help training and education in the Army, insure a book worth study."

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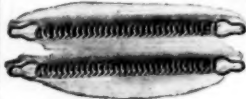
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REAL DANGER OF AIR BOMBING TESTS.

Under the title "Don't Give Up the Ship" Sidney Ballou writes in Sea Power for June of the tests of air bombing against battleships. "There is a danger in these tests," he says, "to which the American public should be alive. It is a danger that is being fostered by a great deal of publicity, a danger to an uninformed but receptive public opinion eager for the novel and the spectacular, but more eager to be convinced that war can be waged cheaply. It is the danger that the sinking of battleships by aircraft—and they will unquestionably be finally sunk by some means or other—will be accepted as conclusive proof of the superiority of the airplane in warfare and of the futility of building capital ships. It is doubtful whether even naval officers realize what a foundation is being laid for this conclusion. The proposition that battleships have been rendered obsolete by aircraft is being hammered into the public on all sides. Probably four out of five of the 'men on the street' believe that the forthcoming bombing tests are designed to settle the issue as to whether aircraft have made battleships obsolete, and like all concrete object lessons its psychological effect will outweigh reams of paper arguments. The proposed bombing tests as a means of increasing our technical knowledge of the damage which can be done by a bomb to a battleship are going to be very valuable. As an argument for the strategic superiority of the airplane over the battleship under actual war conditions they are going to be very misleading. . . . If the present type of capital ship is ever supplanted it will not be by the airplane." The tests, he says, will give no evidence of actual results under war conditions, since no such passive defenses as will be permitted to the warships attacked would be relied on in war time. "Just as the battleship fleet hits back at torpedo craft with torpedo craft so it will hit back at aircraft with aircraft."

A PLEA FOR RETIRED OFFICERS' PAY.

An unusually well informed and sympathetic plea for an increase of pay for retired Army and Navy officers appears in a letter printed in the New York Tribune of June 5 signed Edward Watson. The writer calls attention to the fact that "to-day this tiny fraction of the community, practically all of whom could be put inside of a good-sized theater, a small body of men who have no one to champion their cause, are probably the only human beings in a nation of 105,000,000 who have not had one cent increase of income for the past thirteen years. The retired officers of the Navy are particularly hard hit, for they are forbidden by law to take a position with any company that has a Government contract, thereby shutting them off from the only work that their education, training and experience fit them for (this law not applying to the Army) and making life doubly hard for them. The bill now in Congress will, it is estimated, cost every one in the country between one and two cents a year; certainly nothing to worry about."

THE INDIAN WAR VETERANS.

Resolutions were presented by Compatriot W. Thornton Parker, M.D., Indian War veteran, at the meeting of the Massachusetts State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, on April 19, which were unanimously adopted and copies ordered sent to the Secretary of War and the Pension Commissioner. They resolve "That the faithful and heroic services of the veterans of the U.S. Army during the Indian War in New Mexico in 1867 should be gratefully recognized by the U.S. Government, and that a suitable pension of at least \$40 a month should be awarded every Indian war veteran of 1867 who possesses an honorable discharge. Their service was most arduous and dangerous—a thousand miles from the nearest telegraph; the pony express rider their only mail carrier; surrounded by overwhelming numbers of the fiercest Indian warriors of the murderous and reckless Apaches. These faithful veterans deserve instant recognition; every one of the few living, more than seventy years of age."

PROMOTION BY COMMISSIONED SERVICE.

An Army Colonel who writes that he "has no files to gain, nor any to lose, by a revision of the Promotion List," says: "It is my opinion that the Army is, and has been for several years, practically unanimous for the Single List, standing on that list based on commissioned service. Sec. 24a of the Defense act appeared to give just what we were after; but did it? The little words 'in general,' used therein have apparently been taken to mean that some can be listed as therein directed, others not—at any rate it has happened that as the list now stands it might better be called a 'Promotion by Selection List.' It is true that a list based on commissioned service would reduce the relative rank of not a few, but it would not demote anyone; where an officer had been advanced over one of more service he could mark time—there could be no just claim of an injustice done him."

VICTORY MEDAL FORCE DISCONTINUED.

The force maintained for the purpose of distributing the Victory Medal has been ordered discontinued by the War Department on the ground of unwarranted expense. The officers, field clerks and enlisted men engaged in this work in cities and towns throughout the country will be relieved from duty on July 2, when they will be assigned to other stations if transportation funds are available. Major Gen. Peter C. Harris, The Adjutant General, is to submit a plan for acting upon the applications for medals at existing Army posts and camps or at corps area headquarters, or both. When the recruiting service is reconstituted it will again be available for use in the distribution of the Victory Medal.

FUNERAL HONORS, GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY.

Col. John P. Nicholson, chairman of the Gettysburg National Park Commission, announces that the National Flag will be displayed at half-staff at General Meade's headquarters during funeral services in the National Cemetery at Gettysburg of a soldier or sailor who served in any of the wars in which the United States was engaged.



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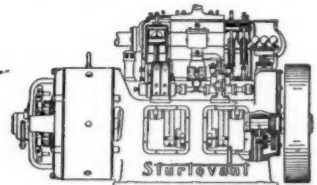
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NOTES OF THE AIR SERVICES.

Prevention of Army Air Accidents.

Attention of the Secretary of War having been directed to the list of casualties in the Air Service contingent upon preparations for the bombing tests, noted in our issue of June 18, the Secretary wrote a letter to Major Gen. Charles T. Menoher, Chief of Air Service, directing that every precaution be taken which might prevent further accidents. The fact that four Army airplanes from Langley Field had made forced landings in the water in the week ending June 25 influenced the Secretary in his purpose to repress the taking of chances by fliers. The Secretary told reporters on June 24 of his desire to go to the utmost in order to reduce the loss of life and material to the minimum and frankly stated that in his opinion there had been too many accidents recently. The list of casualties from April 1 to the day the Secretary announced he had ordered that greater care be exercised included nineteen Army fatalities and ten injured. In addition one marine flier lost his life and two civilians met death in an Army airplane. The casualties in the Air Service during 1920 mounted to eight per cent. of the flying personnel.

Navy Dirigible ZR-2 Due in August.

The Navy dirigible ZR-2, completed and tested in the shed and on a short flight, according to news dispatches from London will be due in the United States about Aug. 15, with the U.S. Navy detachment which has been on duty during the ship's construction operating the dirigible on her voyage to this country, under command of Comdr. Louis H. Maxfield. The contract for the ship calls for delivery by the Air Force to the Navy in England. Lieut. Clifford A. Tinker, U.S.N.R.F., has been assigned to make the trip aboard the ZR-2, and leaves on the U.S.S. Utah for Cherbourg on July 5. Major Percy E. Van Nostrand, U.S.A., of the office of the Chief of Air Service, will also be a passenger and will probably make the voyage to Europe on the Utah.

Army Officers Graduated as Flight Surgeons.

The following officers have been graduated from the School for Flight Surgeons at Mitchel Field, Long Island, N.Y., and have received the rating of flight surgeon: Capt. William M. White, Lieut. Charles F. Shook, honor graduates; Major Herbert C. Neblett, Capt. Robert K. Simpson, Fabian L. Pratt, Tate B. Collins and Lieut. Ira F. Peake, all Medical Corps, U.S.A. Because of the fire which destroyed the school and laboratory buildings on March 19 the graduating exercises were necessarily informal. Major H. L. Bauer, U.S.A., commandant of the school, and Lieut. Col. R. A. Strong, U.S.A., spoke on the Air Service and its future. Major Henry Abbey, jr., U.S.A., commanding officer of Mitchel Field, presented the class with their diplomas. The laboratory and school are rapidly recovering from the severe loss by the fire.

Cadet Classes for Lighter-Than-Air Service.

The regular course for cadets in lighter-than-air service in the Army Air Service will begin about Oct. 1. The cadets are to report on Sept. 25, and the course will end about Feb. 10, 1922, depending upon meteorological conditions. Those who successfully complete the course will be commissioned second lieutenants in the Air Service Officers' Reserve Corps, which grants them eligibility to take examinations for commissions in the Regular Army.

Navy Aviation Turns Back Funds.

The Navy will turn back to the treasury approximately \$1,993,000 as an unexpended balance for naval aviation from the appropriations for 1921. The accumulation of this fund is due to the fact that the Navy could not proceed with the rigid dirigible hangar at Camp Kearny for the reason that the War Department declined to turn over a portion of the camp for this purpose.

Manual on Navy Aviation.

In order that line officers of the Navy may have an opportunity to study aviation, the Bureau of Navigation has approved the plan for the compilation of a manual on the general subjects of aviation, organization,

activities, airplanes, engines, equipment, use aboard ship, and other details. When this manual has been compiled and approved, it will be issued to the line officers of the Navy, and thereafter questions on aviation based upon the general subject as treated in the manual, will be part of the examination of line officers. The plan is now under way, but it is not expected that either the manual or the questions for examination will be ready for issue much before the first of next year, or possibly later. A tentative series of questions was submitted to the Bureau of Navigation as an outline of the subject which should be covered in the new manual.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Plan to Maintain 140,000 N.G. Troops.

In the first fourteen days of June eighty-six new National Guard organizations were extended Federal recognition by the Militia Bureau. It is estimated that the present National Guard strength soon will be increased up to approximately 140,000. The Army Appropriation bill now before Congress provides \$25,534,100 for the National Guard for maintenance, but this amount is considered sufficient to maintain only a strength of about 122,000. Material assistance in the maintenance of the additional troops, however, would be provided if the unexpended balance that will accrue from the appropriation for the present fiscal year for the support of the National Guard were made available for the purpose after June 30. While it is presumed there may be more than \$1,000,000 left unexpended July 1, the Militia Bureau advises that no adequate estimate can be made on account of the fact that in a number of instances the estimates submitted by the states for camp expenses that are now being incurred on account of camps held prior to July 1 apparently were actually too high, and also it has been impossible to obtain an accounting from the supply services as to what equipment furnished by them to the National Guard during the fiscal year 1922 must be paid for from National Guard appropriations and what equipment has been or is being furnished without charge under existing law. Besides this, the National Guard units have grown more rapidly than was anticipated and consequently are costing more than was expected. It is believed, however, that there will be a considerable sum left over which would do much to relieve the situation and make unnecessary any action which would retard the present interest and enthusiasm manifested generally in the National Guard.

Marking National Guard Motor Vehicles.

The Secretary of War has directed that all motor vehicles issued to the several states for the use of the National Guard be plainly marked immediately on receipt in such a manner as to preclude all possibility of mistake as to where they belong. The mark to be used is a circle approximately seven inches in diameter, circumscribing the approved abbreviation of the state name placed above the letters "N.G." to be placed on each vehicle so as to be plainly discernible at a distance of at least thirty feet. The purpose is to prevent confusion of National Guard motor vehicles with others in Federal service, and to insure identity in case of accident.

Strength of the National Guard.

The National Guard increased by 7,011 commissioned and enlisted personnel in the month of May. One hundred and thirty-six inspection reports of new units were received, of which 127 were extended Federal recognition and nine were returned for correction of irregularities before recognition could be extended. Inspection reports of sixty-four new units, in addition to the foregoing, were received in April and have been extended Federal recognition since May 1. By arms and services the total strength of 99,492 as of May 31 was made up as follows: Infantry, 62,621; Tanks, 708; Cavalry, 9,705; Field Artillery, 12,741; Coast Artillery Corps, 7,475; Signal Corps, 743; Medical Corps, 997; Trains, Q.M.C., 794; Corps of Engineers, 3,447; Air Service, 114; Motor Cycle companies, 36; Military Police, 51.

ENDURANCE TEST FOR U.S. MOUNTED CUP.

Officers of the Remount Service, Quartermaster General's office, are making plans for entry in the endurance test for the U.S. Mounted Service Cup, to take place Oct. 10 to 14. Major Stanley Koch, Q.M.C., has been selected as chairman of the committee of sponsors, which is made up of one representative each of the Arabian Horse Club of America, Morgan Horse Club, National Steeplechase and Hunt Association, American Hackney Horse Society, Thoroughbred Endurance Test Club, National Saddle Horse Club, American Remount Association, Horse Association of America, Bureau of Animal Industry of the Department of Agriculture, other interested breeding associations, and the two donors of the cup and prizes. The duty of this committee is to select the judges and other officials, to lay out and mark the course, provide equipment, and to carry out all necessary arrangements. To what extent the Army will participate in the test is not as yet definitely determined. Officers interested have asked the War Department to designate an officer from each corps area and one from the Cavalry School to enter mounts, but no decision has been made. The Remount Service has received about \$20,000 to finance the contest from the Kentucky-Maryland horse fanciers, under condition that the Army buy registered thoroughbred horses to enter the race, the horses to be presented to the Army after the contest, with the further condition that Major Stanley Koch and Lieut. T. H. McCreery, of the Remount Service, who finished first and third in the tests last year, are to have their choice of any two horses that are purchased. The remaining animals are to be presented outright to the Government. The Remount Service has about sixteen thoroughbred racers in training now at the horse show grounds near Washington, D.C. It is expected these animals will be taken to New Jersey about the middle of September for the final workout.

The general course for the test will be from Camp Alfred Vail to Washington, D.C. Stops over night will be made at Trenton, N.J., Chester, Pa., Havre de Grace, Md., and Pimlico, Md., the trip to comprise five days, at a general average of sixty miles a day. Major Koch contemplates going over the roads in an automobile soon, looking to final recommendation and decision as to the exact route. In explaining the entries of the Army, Major Koch said: "We are not starting the horses which made first and third last year, as we have so many in the present string that are much better. All the

horses entered by the Remount Service will be ridden by officers of the Remount Service. The number to be entered by the Remount Service has not been determined, as it will depend on how well the horses stand their preliminary training. Probably about ten will be started." It is expected that Col. Frank Tompkins, on his famous horse Kingfisher, who finished among the leaders in both of the two preceding tests, will again start. The judges selected by the Committee of Sponsors are Major Henry Leonard, U.S.M.C.; John R. Valentine, of Bryn Mawr, Pa., formerly a major in the Remount Service; and Henry McNair, of Chicago. Major C. P. George, F.A., will act as route master. The weight to be carried in the test, 245 pounds, is the same as last year, but in 1920 the matter of the amount of food the animals consumed en route was taken into consideration in computing the score. This feature is eliminated this year, which, it is stated, is a wise move from the horseman's viewpoint.

THE ARMY FIELD CLERKS.

Discharge of Army Field Clerks.

At midnight on July 2 approximately 660 Army field clerks will have been discharged under the provisions of Pub. Res. No. 64, 66th Congress, which limits the permanent field clerks to 400. The Army field clerks are of two classes, permanent and temporary, the permanent appointments coming under the act of Aug. 29, 1916, and the temporary clerks being appointed under provisions of subsequent acts. The permanent clerks are men who qualified for retention in the Service by taking two examinations for the purpose. Approximately 500 so qualified, and to this number are added 118 men of the old permanent force still in the Service, making a total of 618 eligible for retention, while only 400 are authorized. In recommending retention of field clerks commanding officers were instructed to confine their choice to the old permanent force first and to those who qualified by examinations second. Thus 218 men qualified for field clerk duties will be dropped, and in addition approximately 450 temporary field clerks, or about 660 men in all. A board of officers was assigned to this duty in the office of The Adjutant General this week and orders separating those to be dropped went out by wire late on July 2. The separation of these men from the Army is complete, as there is no opportunity for enlisting in the Army, a hardship which will be keenly felt by many of them, particularly as discharge is made at a period of industrial depression.

Retirement for Certain Army Field Clerks.

Army officers very generally commend S.J. Res. 48, introduced by Senator Wadsworth and reported favorably by the Senate Committee on Military Affairs on June 24. This measure would authorize the Secretary of War to appoint and immediately retire as warrant officers certain Army field clerks and field clerks, Quartermaster Corps, whose status was changed from a civilian to a military one under the act of Aug. 29, 1916, and who because of age, service or disability incurred in line of duty would be eligible for retirement on the same basis as a warrant officer. There are sixteen such field clerks, Quartermaster Corps, all more than sixty-four years old, and fourteen Army field clerks, only one of whom is under the statutory age for retirement. It is generally the opinion that nothing less should be done for these men, particularly since they have been denied the advantage of longevity, of retirement and of transportation of their dependents. The fact that they have remained with the Army until reaching advanced years is regarded as proof of their faithful and efficient service, and a transfer to the retired list under the provisions made for warrant officers will supply them with only a just reward for their service.

INFANTRY EQUIPMENT TESTS.

The Infantry Board is preparing to make a field test of a shoe fitted with an air cushion heel submitted by the Quartermaster General, which is considered by the manufacturers as a great advantage over the present solid leather heel. The board is also making a study of the subject of pack transportation for the vicinity of the Panama Canal. It will include the number of mules that should be provided in case it became necessary to transport all equipment by pack; the weight to be carried compared with the size of the mule will be considered, the size and build of mule that can best endure the tropical climate, and all questions entering into the subject. There are very few roads in that vicinity, and should it ever become necessary to take our troops out of the districts where there are roads, the Chief of Infantry proposes to forestall any confusion in organizing complete pack conveying units. The adoption of an instrument intended to extract ruptured cartridges from the Browning machine gun which, after repeated tests by the Infantry Board, has proved to be a decided improvement over the old ruptured cartridge extractor, has been recommended.

GENERAL PERSHING CHIEF OF STAFF.

General Pershing took over the office of Chief of Staff on July 1, without ceremony, and Major Gen. J. G. Harbord also took up his duties as Executive Assistant. Among early callers to pay respects were Major Gen. John A. Lejeune, U.S.M.C., and members of his staff at Marine Corps Headquarters. One of General Harbord's earliest acts was to make inquiry of the Quartermaster General as to the supply of Sam Browne belts available for issue, which would indicate that an order authorizing the belt will probably be issued shortly. Another uniform change looked for in the near future is a change in the uniform coat by the adoption of the roll collar; although should this change be adopted the present coat would be authorized for wear for some time to come.

FIRST STEPS TOWARD ARMY REDUCTION.

First steps toward the reduction of the enlisted personnel of the Army were taken by the Secretary of War on July 1 in the issue of an order authorizing the discharge by corps area and department commanders of all enlisted men who apply for discharge during the month of July, without prejudice to their rights to travel pay. Men discharged under this order will not be permitted to re-enlist until general recruiting has been re-established. Men serving sentences or under charges are not included in the order.

PROMOTIONS AND RETIREMENTS.

Promotions.

Lieut. Col. Patrick W. Guiney, Q.M. Corps, U.S.A., promoted to colonel June 10, 1921, by the advancement of Col. Robert E. Callan to brigadier general, was born in Massachusetts Feb. 10, 1847, and is a graduate of the U.S.M.A., class of February, 1889, when he was assigned to the 6th Cavalry. Colonel Guiney has seen very extensive service and a little over a year after his graduation he was on his way to China to join the relief columns on the march to the relief of the besieged legations in Peking. He participated in the capture of Peking Aug. 14, 1890, the capture of the Imperial Palace, Peking, Aug. 15, and was later on duty with the legation guard at Peking. Colonel Guiney then a second lieutenant was on duty with Troop M, 6th Cav., under command of Capt. De R. C. Cabell. The troop joined the Peking Relief Expedition Aug. 9 after making two twenty-mile marches from Tientsin Aug. 8, and the following two days it marched fifty-four miles. The horses were just off the transport when the march began, yet in the week, the troop marched 140 miles, foraged off the country, and fought before Peking. Lieutenant Guiney was mentioned by Captain Cabell "for his undiminished courage and coolness under fire, Aug. 14, 1900." Major General Chaffee, commanding the expedition, recommended him for the brevet of first lieutenant. Colonel Guiney as a first lieutenant, 6th Cavalry, took part in Philippine campaigns, 1901-02, and was wounded in action there Feb. 28, 1902. Among other subsequent duties he served on the Texas border as captain, 3d Cavalry, 1911-14, was detailed in Q.M. Corps, and was made lieutenant colonel of Infantry, National Army, Aug. 5, 1917. He sailed for Europe with the 78th Division May 20, 1918, and served with the British army in France June, July and August, 1918, and with the American Army in the St. Mihiel offensive in September, 1918. He returned to the United States in January, 1919, and was port transportation officer at the Port of Embarkation at Newport News, Va. His last assignment to duty was at Norfolk, Va.

Capt. Richard H. Power, U.S.A., retired, was promoted to the grade of major as of April 5, 1921, the War Department announced on June 23.

The Navy board on selection for the Supply Corps, which met June 15, has recommended Capts. John Slaughter Carpenter and Livingston Hunt, Supply Corps, U.S.N., for promotion to the permanent rank of rear admiral. The report of the board was approved by the President on June 25.

Retirements.

Col. Daniel E. McCarthy, Q.M. Corps, U.S.A., one of the best known officers of the Army, and with an excellent record of all round duty, has applied for retirement after forty-four years' service, to date from June 30, 1921. We reserve note of his record for another week.

Major Richard B. Clark, Dental Corps, U.S.A., was retired June 16, 1921, for disability incident to the service. He was born in Kentucky Jan. 7, 1891, and entered the Regular Army as a dental surgeon June 16, 1910. He holds the degree of D.D.S., Ohio College of Dental Surgery. Major Clark has been under medical treatment at Denver, Colo., for some time.

First Lieut. Martin J. Seid, Med. Corps, U.S.A., was retired from active service June 25, 1921, with rank of captain to date from July 11, 1920, on account of physical disability incident to the service. He would have been promoted captain on the latter date if he had been found physically qualified. He was born in New York Dec. 25, 1888, and entered the Regular Army as a first lieutenant, Medical Corps, Feb. 25, 1918. He had previously served in the M.O.R.C., is a graduate of the Army Medical School, and holds the degree of M.D., Cooper Medical College, Illinois, 1911.

First Lieut. Hugh A. Palmer, Field Art., U.S.A., was retired from active service June 18, 1921, for disability incident to the service. He was born in Florida Feb. 3, 1899, and was graduated from the U.S.M.A., Nov. 1, 1918, and was assigned to the Field Artillery. He has been under medical treatment at the Walter Reed General Hospital.

Second Lieut. George A. Naylor, Inf., U.S.A., was placed on the retired list June 25, 1921, as a first lieutenant, to date from July 1, 1920, for physical disability incident to the service. He would have been promoted to first lieutenant on the latter date if physically qualified. Lieutenant Naylor, whose home address is Vernal, Utah, was an emergency officer of Engineers during the World War and was appointed an officer of the Regular Army this year, and was last on duty at Camp Pike, Ark.

Lieut. (j.g.) Allen D. Turner, Supply Corps, U.S.N., who has been retired for physical disability incident to the service, to date from April 23, 1921, was born in Wisconsin Sept. 21, 1894, and was appointed Sept. 1, 1918, having previously served as an enlisted man for over six years.

Retirements for physical disability incurred in line of duty have been made in the Navy as follows: Lieuts. Charles Hammond, John Mahoney, William A. Martin and Oscar S. Levin, Med. Corps, and Ensign Arthur B. Johnson, U.S.N.R.F., all June 11, 1921; Lieut. (j.g.) Allen D. Turner, S.C., April 23, 1921; Acting Pay Clerk Frederick J. Hiepe, June 11, 1921.

Other Army retirements appear on page 1170.

A TRIBUTE TO GENERAL RUCKMAN.

In a tribute to the late Brig. Gen. John W. Ruckman, U.S.A., the San Antonio Express said: "Moral courage is a virtue of higher cast and nobler origin than physical. It springs from a consciousness of virtue and renders a man in the pursuit or defense of right superior to the fear of reproach, opposition or contempt. The Express and the clean-thinking, clean-living citizens of this city and country honored John Wilson Ruckman, living, for the moral courage of the fight he made in behalf of the nation's defenders. In death he merits again a tribute of gratitude and respect, truly patriotic gratitude, truly American respect." A personal tribute from one who served under General Ruckman said: "He was a man to whom we could go as to a father and receive the same fatherly solicitude. To me he was the fullest embodiment of that which one might look for in an officer, a soldier, and a gentleman. As a soldier, he left West Point to spread the gospel of a soldier, 'duty, honor, country.' As a soldier, he returned to West Point with his life-work consummated and the young cadets at that Academy could well learn a lesson on the stone which

marks his final billet." The Bishop of West Texas wrote of General Ruckman's death: "A great man has been promoted."

RECENT DEATHS.

Capt. George P. Stallman, Med. Corps, U.S.A., died by drowning June 23, 1921, at Irondequoit, N.Y., while on leave. He leaves a wife, Myra Rafter Stallman, whose address is Camp Dix, N.J., where the Captain was stationed. Captain Stallman was born in New York Oct. 20, 1876, and served in the Regular Army during the war with Spain as a private in the 6th Artillery. He was appointed a first lieutenant and major in the Medical Officers' Reserve Corps in 1917 and became a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps of the Regular Army Feb. 1, 1918. He held the degree of M.D., University of the South, 1898.

The remains of Lieut. Col. John Marcus Craig, U.S.A., who was killed in action at Soissons, France, July 21, 1918, during the great offensive, and which were recently brought to the United States from France, were reinterred in the National Cemetery, Presidio, San Francisco, Calif., May 19, 1921. The services at the grave were conducted by Rev. D. J. Kavanagh, S.J., who also read a telegram he had received from General Pershing which praised Lieutenant Colonel Craig for heroically leading his battalion in battle and which extended his sympathy to his widow.

The funeral of Mrs. Ralph O. Davis, wife of Lieutenant Commander Davis, U.S.N., who died at Jamestown, N.H., on June 21, 1921, after an illness of only twenty-four hours, took place at Annapolis, Md., on June 23, 1921. Services were held at St. Anne's Church. Rev. Dr. Johnson, the rector, officiating. Interment took place in the Naval Academy cemetery. The pallbearers were Lieuts. George F. Hussey, R. O. Glover and C. A. McGowan, U.S.N., and L. Dorsey Cassaway, Eugene Iglehart and Harry Sturdy. The remains were accompanied from Jamestown by Lieutenant Commander Davis and Mrs. James C. Cresap, mother of Mrs. Davis.

The body of 1st Lieut. Maril J. Plumb, Air Ser., U.S.A., who was drowned in Chesapeake Bay June 22, when his airplane collided during bombing tests against the old battleship San Marcos with a plane driven by Capt. Howard Douglass, Air Ser., U.S.A., who also met death, was recovered by fliers from Langley Field June 24, about a quarter of a mile from the place of the accident off Tangier Island. The search for the body of Captain Douglas is being continued.

Mrs. Emma Louisa Spear, widow of Med. Dir. John C. Spear, U.S.N., and mother of the late Lieut. Roscoe Spear, U.S.N.; Capt. Raymond Spear, U.S.N.; Mrs. G. K. Davis, wife of Lieutenant Commander Davis, U.S.N., and of Mr. Reginald Spear, late lieutenant, British army, died at Washington, D.C., June 29, 1921.

Mrs. D. F. Crowley died at her home in Leavenworth, Kas., on June 2, 1921. Mrs. Crowley, who was a pioneer of Leavenworth, and had many friends among the old Army at Fort Leavenworth, is survived by her husband, and six children, among whom are Mrs. Charles Gates Sturtevant, wife of Major Sturtevant, 49th Inf., Fort Snelling, Minn.; Mrs. R. F. Migdalski, wife of former Major Migdalski, Q.M.C., and Capt. Edwin K. Crowley, 55th Inf., Camp Meade, Md.

Hon. William A. Blount, of Pensacola, Fla., president of the American Bar Association, who died in Baltimore, Md., on June 15, 1921, was the father of Mrs. Louis A. Craig, wife of Major Craig, Coast Art., U.S.A., and of former Capt. Frederic J. Blount, Air Ser., U.S.A.

Mrs. E. C. Hammer, of Lynchburg, Va., died at her residence, 1007 Floyd street, June 19, 1921. Mrs. Hammer was the daughter of Samuel Garland White, of Albemarle county, Va., and is survived by her husband and children, S. Garland Hammer, Comdr. E. C. Hammer, jr. (C.C.), U.S.N., Misses Sally and Bessie Hammer and H. Rawlings Hammer.

Flying Cadets Harold E. Page and Joseph W. Weatherby were killed at Visalia, Calif., on June 27, 1921, when their machine crashed while on a flight to Mather Field, Calif., according to a press dispatch from Sacramento. The cause of the accident was not stated. The home of Cadet Page was at Union City, Mich., and that of Cadet Weatherby at Fort Davis, Texas.

Charles J. Bonaparte, former Secretary of the Navy under President Roosevelt in 1905-06, died at his country home, Belle Vista, near Baltimore, Md., June 28, 1921, in the seventieth year of his age. Napoleon Bonaparte was a granduncle of Mr. Bonaparte and his grandfather was Jerome Bonaparte, who became King of Westphalia. Mr. Bonaparte was born in Baltimore June 9, 1851, and was graduated from Harvard University in 1871, and three years later was graduated from Harvard Law School. He was admitted to the bar of Maryland and began the practice of law in Baltimore. Mr. Bonaparte, who was a warm friend and admirer of the late President Roosevelt, accepted the Navy portfolio in the Roosevelt Cabinet in 1905, but gave up the office on Dec. 17, 1906, to become Attorney General of the United States in the Roosevelt Cabinet. Secretary Denby telegraphed a message of condolence to Mrs. Bonaparte June 28.

"His numerous friends of the old Army will be sorry to learn of the recent death of A. J. Gaylor, one of the forest rangers of Yosemite National Park," writes an officer of the Army. "Mr. Gaylor served under the late President Roosevelt, as a member of the famous 'Rough Riders' and later under General Funston in the Philippines as chief packer. Shortly after the Philippine Insurrection he was appointed as one of the forest rangers of Yosemite National Park and has been continuously on duty there since that time. There is probably no living person who knew the park trails so well as did Jack Gaylor and he and his famous pony have guided many parties of prominent visitors. Not only was he a famous guide, but also a famous story teller and has delighted thousands of visitors at the lodge at Merced Lake, where, by the glow of the big camp fire, he was wont to tell, in a most interesting manner, of the days of the old West. During the past few years Mr. Gaylor has spent the winters at his home in Yosemite Valley and during the summers has had charge of the ranger station at the McClure fork of the Merced river, where many of his old Army friends and thousands of civilians have enjoyed his hospitality. Although quite an old man, Mr. Gaylor, to the moment of his death, led an active life. He had gone to his camp for a short visit in company with some friends and it was there, surrounded by the wonderful snow-capped peaks, that he dropped dead and was found a moment later by one of his companions. What more fitting end could he himself have asked for, than to die in the bosom of those companions of nature over whose safety he had so faithfully

fully watched? He was buried in the local cemetery in Yosemite Valley."

SERVICE WEDDINGS.

A wedding of interest on June 25, 1921, at Governors Island, N.Y., was that of Major Joseph Hamilton Davidson, 16th Inf., U.S.A., and Miss Alvarine Howell Conklin, daughter of Col. John Conklin, U.S.A., in St. Cornelius's Chapel. Major Davidson is stationed at Camp Dix and a large party of officers of the 16th, stationed there, came up to New York to witness the ceremony. The wedding ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Smith, chaplain. The ushers were Major John F. Conklin, Engineer Corps, a brother of the bride, and Capts. R. D. Newton, G. T. Phipps, W. C. Louissell and R. T. Hoffman and Lieut. J. L. Whitelaw, all of the 16th Infantry. The best man was Major William H. Jones, Field Art., A.D.C. to Major Gen. John F. Morrison. The maid of honor was Miss Elsie Robinson, a niece of Colonel Herbert J. Slocum. The bridesmaids were Miss Louise Williamson, of Staunton, Va., and Miss Anna Davidson, from Virginia, a sister of the bride. The bridesmaids wore gowns of organdy in pastel shades of orchid and blue. The bride's dress was of white satin with tulle veil. Capt. A. F. Halpin, organist of the chapel, played for the wedding. A reception followed at the club house, where the bride and bridegroom received the 200 and more guests in the ballroom and later the bridal party of twelve enjoyed a collation in the sun parlor, where the bride cut the wedding cake with her husband's saber, and the guests were served in the various club rooms. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Louise Williamson. Among the large number of guests present, besides those of the garrison, were the mother of the bride, Mrs. Emma Lowry Howell, grandniece of Brig. Gen. Eli D. Hoyle and niece of Col. Evan P. Howell, of the Atlanta Constitution; Col. F. E. Lacy, 16th Inf.; Comdrs. H. M. Matthews and J. C. Curran, U.S.N.; Capt. Russell Rainer, N.R.; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Horton, of New York; Mr. Frank L. Hoyl, brother of General Hoyle, and Mrs. Hoyle and their daughter, Mrs. Powers, Mr. Powers; Mrs. Ella T. Davidson, mother of the bridegroom; his sisters, Miss Virginia Davidson; Mrs. F. C. Baggs, Mrs. J. L. Lawler and Miss Ann N. Davidson, and his cousins, Miss Mason, Mrs. Marshall Jones and Mrs. Frischuth, and Col. J. Frank Supple. Col. and Mrs. G. V. Heidt entertained the bridal party at luncheon before the wedding. Major and Mrs. Davidson after a wedding tour will live at Camp Dix.

The wedding of Capt. George Lyman Prindle, 22d Inf., U.S.A., and Miss Beatrice Valentine Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Curtis, of Waterville, Me., took place June 11, 1921, at the home of the bride's parents. The bride wore white satin trimmed with Chantilly lace, a tulle veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bridegroom, Rev. N. B. Prindle, of Shelton, Conn., with the double ring ceremony. An informal reception followed the wedding, the house being decorated with evergreens, ferns and summer flowers. The newly married couple spent a delightful leave at Moosehead Lake, Me., before returning to Fort Jay, where Captain Prindle is stationed in the 22d Infantry.

Standing beneath a beautiful floral arch of mountain laurel in the home of her parents, Miss Ramona E. Fantom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Fantom, of Manchester, N.H., was united in marriage June 15, 1921, to Capt. Ralph E. Harrington, 51st Art., U.S.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrington, of Norwood, R.I. Rev. B. W. Lockhart, pastor of the Franklin street Church, performed the ceremony. Miss Pauline Kidder was maid of honor and Robert C. Fantom, brother of the bride, was best man. The bridesmaids, who formed a rainbow colored aisle about the principals, were the Misses Mary Golding, Florence B. Beleneau, Margaret Cossaire and Mrs. Leslie French. A reception followed the ceremony. The bride wore pink and lavender silk crepe with veil and carried a bouquet of pink roses and sweet peas. Capt. and Mrs. Harrington left, following the ceremony, for Boston, whence they will return to Camp Jackson, S.C.

Miss Doris Virginia Erck, daughter of Major Alfred Henry Erck, 56th Inf., U.S.A., and Mrs. Erck, was married to Capt. Lawrence Wellburn Fagg, of the 19th U.S. Infantry, on June 22, 1921, by Chaplain James H. Poland at the 7th Division Officers' Club, at Camp Meade, Md. It was one of the handsomest social functions which has been given at Camp Meade, and the large dancing hall of the club house was beautifully and gracefully decorated with cedars and flowers. The groomsmen, Captains Donovan, Walthour and Martin and Lieutenants Perry, Cullen and Cameron, all of the 56th Infantry, formed the aisle by holding streamers of white satin ribbon. The bridegroom had as his best man Capt. William Judkins, 19th Inf. The only attendant of the bride was Miss Carlene Held, of Washington, wearing a charming frock of French blue taffeta with hat to match and carrying a large bunch of bridesmaid roses. Escorted by her father Miss Erck followed. She wore a lovely dress of pale pink satin and georgette, tastefully beaded in pearls, with a becoming hat of the same shade. Her flowers were white roses and lilies of the valley. At one end of the room, as a part of a semi-circle of cedar trees, was the altar, a mass of dark green, relieved by the brightness of the regimental colors as well as by the white and yellow of the daisies that were interspersed through the foliage, the lights from several waxen tapers serving to heighten the effect. The ceremony was performed under a large wedding bell of white satin covered with garlands of asparagus ferns, from which four daisy chains extended to the four corners of the room. At one end of the hall, hidden by rows of tall cedars, stood the supper table which was most attractively arranged with pink roses in silver vases, lighted candles, and the wedding cake covered with a profusion of delicate lilies of the valley. Here presided Mrs. F. L. Wells and Mrs. W. F. L. Hartigan, with Mrs. Erck, the mother of the bride, strikingly gowned in yellow satin. After cutting the cake with the bridegroom's saber, Capt. and Mrs. Fagg motored to Baltimore from which point they later left for Atlantic City and New York. Among the guests were Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Edward F. McGlachlin and Harry H. Bandholtz, officers and ladies of the 56th Infantry and friends in the 7th Division, as well as many from outside of camp.

Miss Doris Wyke, daughter of Col. and Mrs. J. E. Wyke, Coast Art., U.S.A., commanding Fort Screven, and Capt. Nelson M. Walker, Inf., U.S.A., aid to Major Gen. John L. Hines, commander of Camp Jackson, S.C., were quietly married June 21, 1921, at Christ Church, Savannah, Ga., with the Rev. J. D. Wing officiating.

The bride wore her traveling costume of dark blue cation crepe with small hat to match. Immediately after the ceremony Capt. and Mrs. Walker left for New York, going later to Pittsfield, Mass., to visit the family of the bridegroom, returning later to Camp Jackson.

Col. George Sabin Gibbs, U.S.A., and Mrs. Gibbs announce the marriage of their daughter, Jessie Louise, to Mr. George Kerriek Perkins on June 15, 1921, at Washington, D.C. Mr. Perkins served with distinction in the Air Service as a flier in France during the World War, where he was in command of an aviation instruction camp. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins will be at home after July 15 at the Calverton, Columbia road, Washington, D.C.

Dr. and Mrs. James H. Mallory announce the marriage of their daughter, Maysie, to Capt. Cecil John Gridley, U.S.A., on June 9, 1921, at El Paso, Texas. Capt. and Mrs. Gridley are at home at Camp Shannon, Hachita, N.M.

Lieut. Comdr. Earl G. Rose, U.S.C.G., and Miss Dorothy Irwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Reeder, were married on June 21, 1921, at Muncy, Pa. Lieutenant Commander Rose is attached to the cutter Talapoosa, which is based on Key West.

Lieut. Comdr. Earl Griffith Rose, U.S.C.G., and Miss Dorothy Irwin Reeder were married at Muncy, Pa., on June 21, 1921.

Lieut. Harold B. Lewis, Field Art., U.S.A., and Miss Frances E. Brooks, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Brooks, of Mount Vernon, N.Y., were married in that city June 25, 1921, in the Chester Hill Methodist Episcopal Church, Mount Vernon, by the Rev. Dr. Foreman and the Rev. Dr. Chasey. Miss Katherine L. Brooks was her sister's maid of honor. Ex-Lieut. John L. Grant, U.S.A., was the best man. Lieutenant Lewis and his bride will live at Fort Grant, Ill., the present station of the Lieutenant.

Lieut. Raymond Morrison, Air Ser., U.S.A., stationed at March Field, Riverside, Calif., and Miss Elsie Bradshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bradshaw, of East San Diego, Calif., were married at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in that city on June 21, 1921, by Rev. Alfred Taylor in the presence of 150 friends and relatives. The bride is a graduate of the San Diego High School and the San Diego State Normal School, and for the past year has been supervisor of music in the schools at Brea, Calif.

A wedding of interest in Navy circles was that of Miss Helen Blanche Jacobs and Lieut. Richard Lansing Connolly, U.S.N., at Boston, Mass., June 26, 1921, in Trinity Church. Rev. Alexander Mann officiated. The bride, who is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln Jacobs, of Jamaica Plain, was given in marriage by her father. She was gowned in white satin and tulle, with a court train. Her attendants were Miss Mary M. Martin, of Wellesley, maid of honor, and the Misses Barbara F. Wilson, of Newton Center, and Olive Atkinson, of Connelleville, Pa., bridesmaids. They are all classmates of the bride, Wellesley College, '20. Lieut. Comdr. John M. Creighton, U.S.N., was best man. The ushers were classmates of the bridegroom at Annapolis. They acted under the direction of the bride's brother, Franklin Arthur, and were Lieuts. Dallas D. Dupris, Richard M. Bates, John D. Small and A. C. Thomas. At the close of the ceremony the bride and bridegroom left the church under the arched swords of the bridegroom's classmates. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Jamaica Plain. Lieut. and Mrs. Connolly went on a wedding tour to the Berkshires.

Ensign Robert G. Willis, U.S.N., and Miss Eliza Gladden, daughter of Prof. Thomas Gladden, of St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., and Mrs. Gladden, were married on June 25, 1921, at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Lieut. C. T. S. Gladden, U.S.N., and Mrs. Gladden, in Annapolis. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. E. D. Johnson, of St. Anne's Protestant Episcopal Church. The bride was given away by her father. Before the ceremony a number of musical selections were given by Mrs. George N. Barker, wife of Lieutenant Commander Barker, and W. R. Sims, of the Naval Academy band. Ensign Willis is a graduate of the class of 1921, Naval Academy.

Mrs. Mayotta Dickinson Caffee, daughter of Commodore Dwight Dickinson, U.S.N., and sister of Lieut. Dwight Dickinson, jr., Med. Corps, U.S.N., as we briefly noted in our issue of last week, was quietly married to Mr. Melvin Deane Southworth, of Springfield, Mass., June 18, 1921. The marriage took place at St. Margaret's Church, Washington. Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, D.D., officiating. The bride was given away by her brother, Lieutenant Dickinson. The wedding was followed by a reception at the residence of the bride's father, Commodore Dickinson, M.C., U.S.N. In the bridal party were Miss Helen Riley, of Washington, as maid of honor; Mr. Constant Southworth, of Akron, Ohio, a brother of the bridegroom, as best man, and the two little daughters of the bride, Miss Patty Elana Caffee, and Miss Elizabeth June Caffee, as flower girls. Mr. and Mrs. Southworth will spend the summer in New England and later will be at home in Springfield, Mass.

Miss Margaret Emily Pearce, niece of Chaplain Frank Thompson, U.S.N., retired, and sister of Chaplain H. M. T. Pearce, U.S.N., was married in New York city June 15, 1921, to Mr. Joseph Bartlett Armstrong, in St. Andrew's Memorial Church. Chaplain H. M. T. Pearce, brother of the bride, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Griswold announce the marriage of their daughter, Florence Clarissa, to Mr. Wayne Latta Barker, a graduate of the class of 1920, U.S.M.A., on June 22, 1921, at Gordon, Nebr. The bride is a graduate of the Nebraska University, class of 1920. Mr. and Mrs. Barker will be at home after Oct. 1 at Brennan, S.D., where Mr. Barker is engaged in general mercantile business.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy T. Wood, daughter of Lieut. John W. Wood, U.S.N., and Mrs. Wood, to Roy C. Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miles, of Atlanta, Ga., took place at Annapolis, Md., June 24, 1921, at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elliott Thompson, of Washington. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dark blue tricotone traveling dress and a large blue Neapolitan hat to match her costume. Mr. Miles is attached to the department of mathematics, Naval Academy.

The marriage of Arthur N. Burnie and Elizabeth T. Gallup, widow of Capt. Perry M. Gallup, U.S.A., is announced at Saco, Me., June 18, 1921.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Capps, of Brooklyn, N.Y., announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances Dorothy, to Dr. S. Demosthenes Zaph, of Chicago, Ill. The wedding took place at the summer home of the bride's par-

ents at Laurel Beach, Milford, Conn., on June 17. Dr. Zaph served as a captain during the World War.

The engagement has been announced of Mrs. Ida Mott Gwynne, of 64 East 66th street, New York city, to Col. Ransom H. Gillett, 10th Inf., N.Y.N.G., of Troy, N.Y. Colonel Gillett during the war served overseas with the 27th Division, U.S.A.

Col. H. C. Smither, U.S.A., and Mrs. Smither announce the engagement of their daughter, Bernice Lytle, to Capt. George W. Gering, Signal Corps (Inf.), U.S.A. The wedding will take place in the early fall. Captain Gering is serving with the 3d Signal Company at Camp Pike, Ark.

Mrs. James Moore Quail, of Ozark, Ark., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Regina, to Capt. Ernest A. Rudelius, 44th Inf., U.S.A. The wedding will take place the middle of July at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, where Miss Quail is visiting her cousins, Lieut. George L. Caldwell, U.S.A., and Mrs. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Airey, of Greenwich, Conn., formerly of Sundridge Park, Kent, England, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Daisy Airey, to Gordon Hunt Michler, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirtland Michler, of Greenwich, Conn. During the war Miss Airey served as a V.A.D. with the British army and Mr. Michler, after graduating from Williams College, served on the Mexican border and later with the A.E.F. in France as captain of the 16th Field Artillery, U.S.A., 4th Division. The wedding will take place early in the autumn.

PERSONALS.

(Contributions to this column are always welcome.)

Lieut. T. Servy Fisher, U.S.N., who has lately returned from a two years' tour of duty in China, is visiting his parents at Oxon Hill, Md.

Miss Matilda Axton is attending the biennial convention of Pi Beta Phi at Charlevoix, Mich., as a delegate from Vermont Alpha Chapter of the sorority.

Major Gilbert R. Cook, U.S.A., wife and son sail July 6 for Coblenz, Germany, where Major Cook has been ordered for duty with the 8th Infantry.

Mrs. Franklin D. Karns, wife of Captain Karns, U.S.N., with her daughter, Miss Helen Karns, will spend the summer at her cottage in Jamestown, R.I.

The Army and Navy Club of America was to remove on June 27 from the quarters it has occupied at 18 Gramercy Park, to 112 Central Park South, New York city.

Mrs. William Mitchell, wife of Brigadier General Mitchell, U.S.A., has left Washington for her home at the Thousand Islands, Canada, where she will spend the summer.

The Misses Stockle are spending their summer vacation from college with their parents, Col. and Mrs. G. E. Stockle, at their home in Mountain View in the Santa Clara Valley.

Mrs. LaGuardia, wife of Capt. John B. LaGuardia, 7th Engrs., U.S.A., who was operated on recently for appendicitis at the Columbia, S.C., Hospital, is making a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Robert T. Darrow, wife of Lieutenant Darrow, U.S.N., with her little daughter, Virginia, has joined Lieutenant Darrow at Crescent Beach, Conn., where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

Lieut. Comdr. John Holmes Magruder, U.S.N., and Mrs. Magruder have left Washington for Newport, R.I., where Lieutenant Commander Magruder has been ordered for duty on the U.S. destroyer Fairfax.

Mrs. George Barnett, wife of Major General Barnett, U.S.M.C., entertained at a birthday dinner and dance for her daughter, Miss Anne Gordon, at her country place, Wakefield Manor, in Virginia on June 24.

Mrs. Frank Anderson, widow of Dr. Anderson, U.S.N., with her daughter, Mrs. Rush Fay, wife of Lieutenant Commander Fay, U.S.N., is at her home at Wardour, near Annapolis, where they will spend the summer.

Col. William E. Horton, U.S.A., and Col. William Eric Fowler, U.S.A., left Washington on June 24 for the West and will go on to Honolulu, returning to Washington by way of Canada late in the summer.

Mrs. William F. Pearson, wife of Colonel Pearson, U.S.A., with her little daughter, Sarah, has left Washington by motor for Canada and will go later to her home in North Carolina, where Colonel Pearson will accompany them.

Lieut. Comdr. James Porter Helm, Supply Corps, U.S.N., and Mrs. Helm are staying at the Chevy Chase Club, 1901 Pacific avenue, San Francisco, Calif., Lieutenant Commander Helm having recently received orders for shore duty at Goat Island.

Mr. D. F. Crowley is at Fort Snelling, Minn., making his home with his daughter, Mrs. C. G. Sturtevant, wife of Major Sturtevant, 49th Inf. Miss Katherine Crowley is making her home with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Migdalski, in San Antonio, Texas.

President and Mrs. Harding gave a birthday luncheon for Warren Harding Pershing, son of Gen. John J. Pershing, U.S.A., in the White House on June 24 in honor of Warren's twelfth birthday. Others invited were General Pershing, Secretary of War Weeks and Senator Warren of Wyoming, grandfather of the guest of honor.

Capt. W. T. Cluverius, U.S.N., and Mrs. Cluverius are in Jamestown, R.I., for the summer. Captain Cluverius is in attendance on the course of the Naval War College, Newport. Misses Elisabeth and Martha Cluverius and Tyler Cluverius have opened their cottage at Hancock Point, Me., to be near their grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Sampson.

Capt. E. T. Pollock, U.S.N., who has been assigned to command the U.S.S. Oklahoma, was the guest of honor at a dinner given at the Hotel McAlpin, New York city, on June 25, by a number of former enlisted men who served under him when he commanded the U.S.S. George Washington in the World War. Other guests were Comdr. W. S. Bainbridge, U.S.N., Paymr. A. M. Pyne, Lieut. A. S. Johnstone, Surgs. H. S. Lambert and Irving Gray, and G. W. Broshek, an engineer officer, all formerly U.S.N., and all of whom served on the ship in the war. Former Quartermaster A. E. Teeple, U.S.N., was toastmaster. Captain Pollock was presented with a humidor filled with cigars and an autographed volume containing reminiscences of the crew of the ship, and also containing humorous quotations from observations by Captain Pollock and other officers and also the crew while the ship was in the Navy transport service.

Comdr. S. C. Hooper, U.S.N., contributes to the May number of the Journal of the American Society of Naval Engineers a "Survey of Radio Stationing, 1921." In the same issue is an article on "Boiler Furnace Insulation" by Lieut. Comdr. Frank W. Sterling, U.S.N.

Major Leroy H. Watson, U.S.A., Mrs. Watson and family, of Camp Benning, Ga., are spending the summer at Cliffside Park, Cornwall-on-Hudson, N.Y., as guests of Mrs. Bartley G. Furey, Mrs. Watson's mother, who has recently built a new home on a beautiful slope overlooking the river there.

Brig. Gen. William Weigel, U.S.A.; Rear Admiral Harry McL. P. Huse, U.S.N., and Col. James T. Bootes, U.S.M.C., represented their respective Services at the memorial service in honor of Frederick W. Galbraith, late national commander of the American Legion, in Trinity Church, New York city, on June 26.

Miss Joyce Elaine Rowe, baby daughter of Lieut. John Willing Rowe and Mrs. Rowe, was made the first honorary baby member of the Manhattan Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and was presented with a special D.A.R. spoon by the regent, Mrs. J. B. Francis Herreshoff. Mother, grandmother and great-grandmother are active members.

Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, N.Y.N.G., has recently been appointed an honorary vice president of the New York command of the British Great War Veterans of America. Any person who has served in active operations under the British command during the World War is eligible for associate membership providing he or she has an honorable discharge. This includes all officers and men of the U.S. Army who served under British command and officers and men of the U.S. Navy at Queenstown or under Admiral Beatty, commander-in-chief of the Grand Fleet.

Capt. Herbert N. Schwarzkopf, of Newark, N.J., who has been nominated by Governor Edwards for Superintendent of the New Jersey State Police, was born in New Jersey Aug. 28, 1895, and was graduated from the U.S.M.A. in the class of 1917, being assigned to the Cavalry. He went overseas as a captain with the 77th Field Artillery, and served through four major campaigns in France. He was with the Army of Occupation as town mayor, officer in charge of civil affairs, judge of the inferior provost court and other confidential duties for the Government.

Major Gen. Kavutsuga Inouie, military attaché at the Japanese Embassy at Washington, was a visitor to the camp of the 69th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., at Peekskill, N.Y., on June 20, and remained overnight as the guest of division headquarters, N.Y.N.G. Col. William R. Wright, of the division staff, met General Inouie and escorted him to camp. The General reviewed the regiment on June 21 and expressed great pleasure at receiving the honor and praised the showing of the command.

Capt. Harrison S. Beecher, 347th Machine Gun Battalion, U.S.A., who is at present on duty with the 17th Cavalry, U.S.A., at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, has been awarded the D.S.C. for extraordinary heroism in action near Gesnes, France, Sept. 29, 1918. "Although suffering from a gunshot wound in the leg," says the citation, "he continued to lead his company in the attack. Later he was again wounded but continued in active command until exhausted and ordered by his superior officer to be evacuated. His fearless conduct and example were an inspiration to his followers and men."

The monthly meeting of the Army and Navy Chapter, D.A.R., was held on June 13 at the residence of Mrs. E. K. Webster, widow of Major Webster, U.S.A., 1901 Wyoming avenue, Washington, D.C. Mrs. W. D. West, newly elected regent, presided, and the following members were also present: Mrs. DuBois, treasurer; Miss Minnie Townsend, recording secretary; Mrs. W. O. Owen, historian; Mrs. Webster, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Cecil and Mrs. Holbrook, of the board; Mesdames Hoppin and Porter and Miss F. M. Webster; Mrs. Chynoweth, wife of Major Chynoweth, U.S.A., and Miss K. Lawton, daughter of General Lawton. Mrs. Owen read an interesting paper about William and Mary College.

In the midst of an assemblage containing representatives from the Swedish court, the Army, Navy and Diplomatic Corps and brilliant with the presence of officers of the King's Household Cavalry, the infant daughter of Major and Mrs. Malcolm Wheeler-Nicholson was christened at Mrs. Wheeler-Nicholson's home in Stockholm, Sweden, April 15 last. The young lady, who was sponsored by the Baroness Hermeline, was christened Antoinette Caroline. Her name was inscribed just below her mother's on the ancient christening bowl which has served the same purpose in the family since its silver was brought from Germany in the time of Gustavus Adolphus. The American Minister was represented by the Chancellor of Legation and by Colonel Colvin, the military attaché, at the christening and the dinner and dance which customarily follow it in Sweden. Before the diminutive person was carried from the salon by her proud nurse, all the Swedish officers gathered around her, wine glass in hand, and drank her health with a hearty "skol," their equivalent for "How."

At an impressive ceremony held in the gymnasium at Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, Ore., June 11, Brig. Gen. U. G. McAlexander, U.S.A., "The Rock of the Marne," was installed an honorary member of Co. G, 2d Regiment of the Scabbard and Blade, an honorary society. On the campus, after the ceremony, General McAlexander reminisced in regard to the days when he was commandant of cadets at the college. Capt. Sereno Brett, Tank Corps, U.S.A., who was formerly a major of cadets under General McAlexander at O.A.C., was also installed an honorary member of the Scabbard and Blade. Captain Brett while a cadet at the college established the Honor Legion which was the forerunner of the present Scabbard and Blade Society. Among those present at the installation were: Lieut. Col. Joseph K. Partello, Major W. F. Sharp, Major M. J. Herbert and Capt. Dennis Hayes, U.S.A.; Cadet Col. G. A. Powell, Cadet Lieut. Col. G. D. Epps, Cadet Majors R. H. Campbell, M. McCart, D. H. Bitney and O. M. Bodie, Cadet Capt. A. M. Case, J. Buckner, T. K. Vannice, M. Rosen, W. M. Kuebke, G. E. Spriggs, R. S. Brown, R. F. Kyle, Cadet Lieuts. W. D. Olsen, C. Thorpe, R. H. Goodale, M. R. Good and L. C. Paulding. Following the ceremony General McAlexander and officers of the military department went to the Southern Pacific R.R. station to see the students of the R.O.T.C. leave for summer camp. The Field Artillery unit sent 112 men from an enrollment of 257, to Camp Knox, Ky., and the Engineer unit ninety-five men from an enrollment of 154, to Camp Humphreys, Va. General McAlexander was present at the graduating exercises, June 13, and presented the Senior R.O.T.C. students with their Reserve commissions at the same time they received their degrees from the college.

Mrs. James A. Finley, of Haverford, Pa., will open her cottage in Jamestown, R.I., the end of June.

Mrs. Grimes, widow of Brig. Gen. G. S. Grimes, has returned to her apartment at the Marlborough, Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Roscoe C. Bulmer, widow of Captain Bulmer, U.S.N., is occupying her cottage at the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Miss Betty Fleming, of Wellesley College, is visiting her parents, Col. and Mrs. R. J. Fleming, at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Md.

A daughter, Elizabeth McElroy Maloney, was born on June 18, 1921, to Capt. Edward J. Maloney, U.S.A., and Mrs. Maloney at Camp Benning, Ga.

A daughter, Barbara Farrell, was born to Capt. Thomas S. Farrell, Corps of Engrs., U.S.A., and Mrs. Farrell at Camp Dix, N.J., on June 22, 1921.

Mrs. Donovan, wife of Major Richard Donovan, Coast Art., U.S.A., was the guest of Major Alfred B. Quinton, Ord. Dept., U.S.A., and Mrs. Quinton for a few days the past week at Hyannisport, Cape Cod, Mass.

Mrs. Franklin D. Karns and her daughter, Miss Helen Karns left Washington June 23 for Jamestown, R.I., Mrs. Karns having taken a cottage there for the summer while Captain Karns's ship, the U.S.S. Rochester, is there.

Major Eley P. Denson, U.S.A., and Mrs. Denson, with their daughter, Marian, are spending the summer with Mrs. Denson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Seward, of Independence, Texas. Major Denson is to enter the School of the Line in September.

At a meeting of the Valley Forge Park Commission, June 23, 1921, at Philadelphia, all the members present, Col. John P. Nicholson, U.S.V., was unanimously elected president, as a recognition of his nineteen years' service as commissioner and vice president.

The paper on "The Application of Radio to Navigation Problems" presented at a meeting of the Electrical Section of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia on Nov. 4, 1920, by Rear Admiral W. H. G. Bullard, director of naval communication service, U.S.N., is reproduced in the June number of the journal of the institute. Several illustrations and diagrams add to the interest of the paper.

Major J. E. Barzynski, U.S.A., and wife entertained in honor of their niece, Miss Romona New, on June 18, with a dance in the outdoor pavilion at Camp Pike, Ark. The pavilion pleasantly decorated with green branches and native flowers, aided by the skilful lighting effect was like a vision of fairyland. Miss New has been the motif of various social affairs during her stay at Camp Pike, and has proven one of our most popular visitors from the outside world.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Knight, Jr., announce the birth of a son, John T. Knight, 3d, June 27, 1921. The baby is a grandson of Col. John T. Knight, Q.M.C., U.S.A., and Comdr. U. T. Holmes, U.S.N., retired; and a great-grandson of Lieut. Gen. S. B. M. Young, U.S.A., retired. Mr. Knight is a member of the class of 1918, U.S.M.A., and since his resignation from the Army has been residing with Mrs. Knight and small daughter, Mary, at 5478 University avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Lieut. Col. Edwin S. Hartshorn, Inf., U.S.A., on duty with the General Staff Corps at Washington, was presented with the New York State World War Medal for conspicuous service on June 25 by Assistant Secretary of War J. M. Wainwright in the offices of the latter. Colonel Hartshorn received his first military training with the old 7th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., under Col. Daniel Appleton, and it was in recognition of his services as chief of the co-ordination section, General Staff, War Department, that the honor was conferred.

Cora Louise Ladd, infant daughter of Capt. Rolla V. Ladd, U.S.A., and Mrs. Mabel Ladd, was christened June 12, at the residence of Captain Ladd, Fort Moultrie, S.C. The water used in the ceremony had been brought from the river Jordan, Palestine, by Captain Ladd's mother, Mrs. Cora Ransier. Refreshments and a social hour followed the ceremony. Lieut. Col. Frank Long, commanding officer of the fort, and Mrs. Long stood as sponsors. The event was unique in that "in as far as the memory of man runneth" or records show, this was the first baby of an officer born and christened at this fort, which is an old one.

Comdr. Thomas D. Parker, U.S.N., and Mrs. Parker, are to return to America on the July transport after having been in Europe for over a year. Mrs. Parker, who on the concert stage is Mme. Rosa Florence, gave a series of song recitals while they were at Geneva, Switzerland, which were highly praised by the press of that city. In Paris on June 10 she gave a recital at the Salle des Agriculteurs. Of her voice the Paris Herald said: "Madame Florence, an American singer, who recently sang with success in Geneva, but hitherto unknown as a concert singer in Paris, has a voice that is superlatively interesting because it is perfectly natural. She has, moreover, a pleasing intelligence in the broad sense of the word. Madame Florence may very well in time become one of the foremost singers of the day, and music lovers will look forward with the greatest interest to hearing her again in a near future."

A cabaret held at Camp Benning, Ga., on June 11 for the Army Relief Society realized over \$500. The wives of officers at the post worked diligently for the success of the event. A tempting dinner was served at prettily decorated tables. Mrs. H. S. Wagner, wife of Colonel Wagner, was head waitress, in an attractive costume of black with maid's wrap and apron. She was assisted by the following in similar costumes: Mmes. Wright, Rountree, McCormick, Whiting, Sinkler, Clarkson, Golden, Stubbs, Middleton, Fulmer, Lovell, Edmonds and Sweitzer; the Misses Gordon Lou Uline, Loretta Chapel, Martin, Martha Coleman, Cockburn, Gertrude Malone and Virginia Chapell. At a "hot dog" booth Colonel Noyes, in the costume of a chef, cooked and sold these old favorites. Colonel Jones and Capt. Robert Joerg dressed as bartenders sold near-beer and soft drinks. The cabaret program was excellent. Among those taking part were: Miss Mildred Malone, daughter of Colonel Malone, who gave a Spanish dance; accompaniment by Capt. Ernest Borinski; song, Lieutenant Carlton; dances by Mrs. Byrne; song by Colonel Jenks, who played his own accompaniment; a song and dance by Lieutenant Gallagher, dressed as a country bumpkin. Dancing was enjoyed by all to the music by the 29th Infantry orchestra. Among those making reservations for the cabaret were: Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Gordon, Col. and Mrs. Koerber, Col. and Mrs. Williams, Majors and Mmes. Mills, Brownell and Halloran, Captains Grose and Abbott, Lieutenants Lucas, Killain and Bigbie, Mrs. George Goodale was chairman of the entertainment. The committees included Mmes. O. C. Jones, Hansell, Blayne, Hester, Brooks, Wagner, Rock, Williams, Jeerg and J. Lyman.

A daughter, Margaret Ann Coates, was born at Camp Custer, Mich., June 4, 1921, to the wife of Major Charles E. Coates, U.S.A.

Lieut. A. C. McAuliffe, 16th Field Art., U.S.A., and Mrs. McAuliffe announce the birth of a daughter on June 11, 1921, at Camp Lewis, Wash.

A daughter, Mary Elvia Ruddell, was born to Capt. James C. Ruddell, U.S.A., and Mrs. Ruddell at Sloane's Hospital, New York city, on June 26, 1921.

Lieut. Comdr. Harold Snow, U.S.N., Mrs. Snow and their young son have arrived in Washington and will be in their apartment at the Kenesaw for several months.

A daughter, Grace Marie Kobbé, granddaughter of Major Gen. W. A. Kobbé, U.S.A., was born to Col. F. W. Kobbé, U.S.A., and Mrs. Kobbé at Battle Creek, Mich., on June 26, 1921.

Mrs. Timothy J. Mosher, of Chicago, is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Perry C. Ragan, U.S.A., at Camp Dix, N.J., where Captain Ragan is on duty as the assistant camp adjutant.

Miss Georgie E. Young, daughter of Col. Malcolm Young, U.S.A., and Mrs. Young, is sailing July 2 for an extended tour of Europe. On her return in the fall she will resume her studies at Miss Bennett's School.

Lieut. Col. Carl H. Müller, U.S.A., and Mrs. Müller and Janet motored from Fort Crook to Fort Snelling and are now settled in Quarters 4 at the Officers' Club. Colonel Müller is at Fort Snelling to attend the R.O.T.C. camp.

A daughter, Antoinette de Grandval Bruck, was born to Capt. Harold deB. Bruck, Cav., U.S.A., and Mrs. Bruck on June 5, 1921, at Coblenz, Germany. Captain Bruck is at present on duty with the Military Police Company.

Mrs. Lewis Douglass Greene, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Greene, U.S.A., left Washington on June 22 to spend the summer in New England. She will be at the Gardner House, Jamestown, R.I., until the latter part of August.

Former Lieut. Col. Manfred Lanza, U.S.A., who resigned from the Army Oct. 20, 1919, is at present holding the position of secretary and general manager of the Potomac Sales Co., Inc., 1111 14th street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, at the recent commencement conferred the degree of master of science in public health on Col. James Sprigg Wilson, Med. Corps, U.S.A. Dr. Wilson is now serving as chief surgeon of the 5th Corps Area.

Rear Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.N., has accepted an invitation of the Society of the Cincinnati in the state of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, to make the principal address at the meeting of the Society in the old State House in Newport, R.I., Monday afternoon, July 4.

Rear Admiral James Dexter Adams, U.S.N., retired, and Mrs. Adams left Washington on June 29 by motor to visit Dr. Howard Van Rensselaer at his home on the Hudson. They will motor through the northern states, returning to spend the late summer and autumn at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Mrs. S. H. Hopson, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Hopson, Q.M. Corps, U.S.A., has rented a house at Swanton, Vt. for the summer months so as to be near her son, William, who is attending the Plattsburg camp. Colonel Hopson, now on leave, is in Swanton, but will go to Fort Sill, Okla., early in August.

Lieut. W. C. Bennett, Jr., Corps of Engrs., U.S.A., has been visiting his parents, Col. and Mrs. W. C. Bennett, 272 Gates avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. Lieutenant Bennett and his mother will motor to Washington, where the latter will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kingman, wife of Major R. W. Kingman.

Comdr. Roller Richardson, U.S.N., and wife and Col. T. C. Treadwell, U.S.M.C., and wife are enjoying a trip to the Yosemite National Park. Comdr. and Mrs. Richardson expect to spend a few days with Col. and Mrs. Treadwell at Mare Island before returning to the naval air station at San Diego, Calif.

Brig. Gen. George F. Downey, U.S.A., and Mrs. Downey are now located in their newly purchased property in Washington, D.C., 2329 California street. General Downey is in charge of the Transportation Service, Q.M.C., in the absence of Brig. Gen. W. D. Connor, who is on the commission to investigate conditions in the Panama Canal.

Major and Mrs. John B. Richardson and John B. Richardson, Jr., who recently left Washington on a motor trip through New York state, are now at Crater Club, Lake Champlain, where they will remain until September. Major Richardson has recently been relieved from duty in the War Department and will be a member of the next class of the School of the Line, Fort Leavenworth, Kas.

Col. Earl C. Carnahan, U.S.A., who commanded the 25th Infantry until June 21, when he went on three months' sick leave, at the end of which time he is to go to the General Staff College for one year's tour of duty, was, with Mrs. Carnahan, the object of many social attentions on the part of the officers and men of the command before their departure on June 21. On June 14 a stag dinner was given in his honor by the officers of the regiment just across the Mexican line from Camp Stephen D. Little, Nogales, Ariz. On the evening of June 16 a concert was given at the camp theater in honor of Col. and Mrs. Carnahan, when a magnificent silver tray, very massive, and measuring 16 by 10, the gift of the enlisted personnel of the regiment, was presented to Mrs. Carnahan, the presentation speech being made by Chaplain L. A. Carter, U.S.A. The tray is inscribed: "To Mrs. Earl C. Carnahan, from the enlisted men of the 25th U.S. Infantry, in appreciation of the friendship and justice of Col. Earl C. Carnahan, Nogales, Ariz., June 23, 1917—June 16, 1921." The former date refers to the day when Colonel Carnahan took command of the regiment. Colonel Carnahan responded in a very happy speech. On June 18 he reviewed the entire command, and at a meeting later in the day was constituted an honorary life member of the 25th Infantry Officers' Club, and president emeritus for life. In the evening he and Mrs. Carnahan were guests of honor at a reception given by the officers of the club, when Mrs. Carnahan was again made the recipient of a handsome gift, this time from the officers of the regiment, in the form of a silver after-dinner coffee service consisting of ten pieces. The presentation speech was made by Major C. P. Martin, U.S.A. Mrs. Carnahan expressed her thanks very feelingly, while the Colonel supplemented her words in an intimate talk with the officers. Dancing followed. On June 20 a farewell dinner was given at the Officers' Club for the Colonel and his wife by the officers and ladies of the regiment.

Major Edgar H. Thompson, U.S.A., Mrs. Thompson and children and Mrs. Brenner will sail with the 59th C.A.C., on the Sherman, July 11 for Corregidor, P.I.

Col. James S. Wilson, chief surgeon, 5th Corps Area, received on June 14 from the Ohio State University the degree of master of science of public health. Colonel Wilson is now stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

Mrs. R. F. Migdalski and daughter, Cecilia, have returned to their home at 228 East Pecan street, Randolph Apartments, San Antonio, Texas, after attending the funeral of Mrs. Migdalski's mother at Leavenworth, Kas.

Brig. Gen. Mark L. Hersey, U.S.A., in command of Camp Devens, was the reviewing officer at the exhibition drill at the naval training station, Newport, R.I., June 29, upon invitation of Capt. D. E. Desmukes, U.S.N., commanding. General Hersey during his stay was the guest of his son, Lieut. Comdr. Mark L. Hersey, Jr., U.S.N., who is attached to the station.

A son, Richard Traber Batson, was born to Major Roscoe C. Batson, 5th Field Art., U.S.A., and Mrs. Batson at Camp Bragg, N.C., on June 24, 1921. Mrs. Batson is the daughter of the late Capt. Traber Norman, 8th U.S. Inf., and sister of Mrs. Wadsworth, wife of Major Herbert A. Wadsworth, Inf. Mrs. Norman is visiting Mrs. Batson at Camp Bragg, having lately returned from a year's travel in Europe.

Col. C. E. Morton, U.S.A., retired, attended the reunion of the officers of the 315th Infantry, U.S.A., at Bedford Springs, Pa., June 24-26. He is at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, for a few days before returning to his station, Jefferson Barracks. Colonel Morton will be relieved from active duty July 1. He will make his home in St. Louis after visiting relatives at Detroit, Milwaukee and Fort Sam Houston.

GRADING OF LINE CLASS, G.S.S.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

It seems a system that gives as general dissatisfaction and meets with as much condemnation as the present method of grading the student officers in the line class of the G.S.S. at Fort Leavenworth should be abandoned. By this system the upper two-thirds only of the line class, after graduation, are retained for the staff class, no matter how high the grades of the lowest third. "Even if a class should consist of the ninety-nine most brilliant officers in the Army but sixty-six could be 'recommended' for the staff class, although the thirty-three not retained might have grades higher than the upper two-thirds of the class of the year before!"

Why not decide on a passing grade and keep for the second year all officers who attain it? Everyone who has been at Leavenworth knows it is an honor, an achievement, to graduate from the line class whether recommended for the staff class or not, but as yet the Army at large does not realize it. The question is not, "Is he a graduate of the School of the Line?" but "Did he make the staff class?" Some of the student officers so heartily dislike the course that they are exceedingly indifferent about taking a second year of it, but the majority wish to remain and could if the present system were changed for one establishing a passing grade. Such a change would certainly increase the value of the course, as the nervous condition noticeable in so many student officers and caused by trying to attain grades higher than two-thirds of their fellows, would be done away with and permit the making of a sane effort to master the course. A fraction of a point should not determine that an officer is not capable of staff work unless that fraction throws him below a grade previously fixed upon as passing.

Surely every officer standing as high as eighty-five per cent. or even eighty per cent. is able to carry on the work of the staff class, and would be vastly more useful to the Army with the additional education that year gives, than he possibly can be, sent back to his regiment smoldering with righteous wrath and indignation caused by the unfairness of the present system. Major Y may fail to make the staff class with an average of ninety-two per cent. one year, while Major X succeeds with an average of ninety per cent. the next year. Is it the best system? I believe the majority of the students and graduates of the G.S.S. at Fort Leavenworth condemn it.

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DISAPPOINTMENT OF JUNIOR R.O.T.C.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

Throughout the country, at the various military academies the junior divisions of the R.O.T.C. made enthusiastic preparation to attend the various R.O.T.C. camps under the supervision of the War Department. Members of such R.O.T.C. schools were told several months ago that they would attend such camps for a period of six weeks' training. They made their plans accordingly; sacrificed vacation periods; at their own expense various articles were purchased, considered necessary at camps. They received travel orders and all was in readiness to depart, when, without warning, telegraphic orders were received that the Junior Division of the R.O.T.C. would not attend such camps, presumably on account of lack of funds. In some instances the students received notice but twenty-four hours ahead of the hour and day set for departure.

It is felt that but little need be said as to the bad policy involved in such action. To say the least, the sting of disappointment and discouragement caused is immeasurable. This period of six weeks' training in the camps would have been of untold benefit to both themselves and the country. The War Department and others have done all possible to encourage and entice; and the above action has resulted in the opposite. Many of these students consider this action practically a breach of contract on the part of the Government. They patriotically answered the call for volunteers to attend these camps, both themselves and their families made certain sacrifices in connection therewith and then with but a few hours' notice they were told that such attendance is denied them, with but a vague understanding as to the cause therefor. It is to be hoped that a similar happening may never occur again. This one has been a serious blow to R.O.T.C., and if due to curtailment of expenditures, may fitly be termed "Penny-Wise and Pound-Foolish."

CAPTAIN.

NO COURT OF INQUIRY FOR COLONEL FOLTZ.

Secretary of War Weeks has disapproved a court of inquiry for Col. Frederick S. Foltz, U.S.A., on the ground that such a court could not bring out information not already developed in the investigation made by the Inspector General's Department. Many protests

against his relief from command at Fort Oglethorpe have reached the War Department, including a protest by the American Legion of Georgia.

ARMY CONFIRMATIONS.

Nominations confirmed by the Senate June 27, 1921.

The Senate on June 27 confirmed all the Army nominations of June 20, published on page 1153, our issue of June 25. Also the following nominations of June 23:

PROMOTIONS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Lieutenant colonels to be colonels: A. E. Waldron, C.E., from June 17, 1921; P. G. Jewell, C.A.C., June 18, 1921.
Medical Corps—First lieutenants to be captains: W. H. Waterous from May 30, 1921; C. R. Mueller, Dec. 11, 1920; H. W. Kinderman, June 14, 1921.

APPOINTMENTS, BY TRANSFER, IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Ordnance Department—Major L. H. Campbell, Jr., C.A.C., rank July 1, 1920; Capt. T. M. Jervy, Inf., rank July 1, 1920.
Chemical Warfare Service—First Lieut. C. D. Pearson, Inf., rank July 2, 1920.
Field Artillery—Capt. W. H. Green, Q.M.C., rank July 1, 1920.
Coast Artillery Corps—Capt. W. H. Sweet, Cav., rank July 1, 1920.
Air Service—Capt. R. E. O'Neill, Inf., rank June 20, 1920.

REAPPOINTMENT IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Infantry—To be major with rank from June 14, 1921: Capt. J. Russ, P.S., retired.

Nomination confirmed by the Senate June 28, 1921.

CHIEF OF MILITIA BUREAU, WAR DEPARTMENT.

Brig. Gen. George C. Rickards, N.G., of Pennsylvania, colonel, Officers' Reserve Corps, to be Chief of the Militia Bureau of the War Department with rank of major general for a period of four years from June 7, 1921.

ARMY NOMINATIONS.

Nomination received by the Senate June 27, 1921.

APPOINTMENT, BY TRANSFER, IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Quartermaster Corps—Capt. H. LaR. K. Albro, Cav., rank from July 1, 1920.

Nominations received by the Senate June 29, 1921.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Cadets to be second lieutenants, rank June 13, 1921.
Corps of Engineers—Frank Z. Pirkey.
Field Artillery—Karl W. Hispen, Joseph P. Wardlaw, Francis W. Cray, Selby F. Little.
Coast Artillery Corps—Milo G. Cary, Harold J. Conway.
Cavalry—Norris H. Marcus, John B. Cooley.
Infantry—James H. Marsh, John E. Freeman, Gustin MacA. Nelson, Frank J. Spetel, Carroll F. Sullivan, Rupert H. Johnson, Francis J. Magee, Burwell B. Wilkes, Jr.

THE ARMY.

Commander-in-Chief—Warren G. Harding, President.

Secretary of War—John W. Weeks.

Assistant Secretary of War—Jonathan M. Wainwright.

ORDERS RECEIVED TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

S.O. 149-O, JUNE 29, 1921, WAR DEPT.

The following officers from further active duty and to home:
Col. R. H. Hess, Q.M.R.C., Germany; 2d Lieut. H. M. Matter, Q.M.R.C., Washington.
Major W. F. Burns, J.A., to Camp Dix, N.J., for duty.
Capt. T. T. Trappell, J.A., report in person to the J.A.G. of Army for duty in his office.
Lieut. Col. W. Dabney, Q.M.C., is detailed as quartermaster, 1921 National Matches.
Capt. F. P. Tingley, Q.M.C., to Fort Mason, San Francisco, for duty.
Officers of Q.M.C. report in person to Q.M.G. of Army for duty in his office: Capt. J. C. O'Dell and H. B. Knowles.
First Lieut. J. N. Farrott, Q.M.C., to Camp Alfred Vail, N.J., for duty.
Officers of Q.M.C. will report in person to the constructing Q.M., Washington, for duty as his assistants: Capt. L. S. Dolen, G. E. Lamb and C. I. Bazire.
Capt. G. E. Hesner, M.C., to San Francisco, Letterman General Hospital, for duty.
Capt. H. E. Fraser, M.C., to Camp Lewis, Wash., for duty.
Major W. L. Kline, M.R.C., from further active duty and to home.
Col. M. L. Walker, C.E., to Panama on steamer sailing from Norfolk, about July 1, for duty.
Leave one month to Capt. J. A. Strang, C.E., about July 1.
Leave two months to 1st Lieut. J. M. Gillespie, O.D., about June 30, 1921.
Leave one month to Capt. T. T. Hands, F.A., about July 1.
See much of Par. 17, S.O. 135-O, W.D., June 18, 1921, as relates to Col. J. H. Reeves, Cav., is revoked.
Major E. L. Canady, A.S., to proper station, Langley Field, Va., for duty.
Chaplain E. W. Wood to Rockwell Field, Calif., Aug. 1, for duty.
Chaplain N. A. Jones will report to commanding general, Camp Grant, Ill., for duty with 52d Inf.
Name of Major D. A. Robinson, 8th Cav., is removed from D.O.L.
Leave two months to Major W. M. Blunt, Cav., upon relief from present duty.
Leave two months to Major R. M. Campbell, Cav., about July 1.
Leave one month to Capt. J. W. Cunningham, Cav.
Leave one month to 1st Lieut. V. D. Mudge, Cav.
Capt. A. B. G. Smith, Cav., to Fort Riley, Kas., Sept. 10, for pursuing troop officers' course.
Col. J. L. Knowlton, C.A.C., upon his own application, is retired from active service after more than thirty years' service.
Lieut. Col. H. C. Barnes, C.A.C., to Newport, R.I., and to Naval War College for duty as student officer.
First Lieut. R. J. Burt, C.A.C., is detailed to take course of instruction at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y.
Capt. R. M. Connell, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe, Va., for pursuing the battery commanders' course.
Col. H. A. Drum, Inf., from further assignment and duty as commandant, General Service Schools, Fort Leavenworth, and is detailed as assistant commandant, General Service Schools, Fort Leavenworth, Kas., effective July 1.
Major R. H. Fletcher, Jr., Inf., is assigned to 60th Inf. and to Camp Jackson, S.C., for duty.
Capt. J. B. Harvey, Inf., is assigned to 38th Inf. and to Camp Pike, Ark., for duty.
Capt. A. J. MacNab, now attached to 20th Inf., is relieved from his duties with that regiment and will proceed to Camp Benning, Ga., Sept. 1, 1921, for duty.
Capt. J. W. Campbell, 46th Inf., from assignment to that regiment and to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., and report on July 12 for duty as a student officer.
Capt. E. L. MacLean, Inf., to proper station, Camp Meade.
Capt. E. John, 25th Inf., is transferred to 48th Inf. July 1, 1921, and to Douglas, Ariz., for duty.

BULLETIN 9, MAY 18, 1921, WAR DEPT.

This bulletin relates to the following subjects: Changes in dates pertaining to the National Matches, 1921; purchase of automobile accessories from Motor Transport general depots; Batan Military Reservation, P.I., placed under control of the government of the Philippine Islands; military reservation of Fort Duchesne, Utah, placed under control of the Secretary of the Interior.

RATING Q.M.C. ENLISTED MEN OF EXEMPTED PLACES.

Cir. 151, June 4, 1921, War Dept.

In connection with Cir. No. 135, War Dept., 1921 (Allotment of Q.M.C. enlisted personnel), commanding officers of

places exempt from control of department and corps area commanders are authorized to rate as specialists enlisted men of the Quartermaster Corps within the allotments made to their commands by or through department or corps area headquarters.

By order of the Secretary of War:

PEYTON C. MARCH, Major Gen., Chief of Staff.

REDUCTION OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

Cir. 158, June 16, 1921, War Dept.

The authority contained in Cir. 132, W.D., 1921, to make the reduction of surplus non-commissioned officers by demotion of one grade is hereby made mandatory within regiments and similar organizations. In making reductions of non-commissioned officers to bring the numbers within that authorized, no individual will be reduced more than one grade, except when the number of surplus in any grade exceeds the number authorized in the next lower grade in which case the excess will be given the next subsequent lower grade authorized in the organization to which they are attached for absorption. Non-commissioned officers reduced in accordance with the above will be given warrants with date of rank such as to make them senior to all other non-commissioned officers of the same grade in their organizations who have not been reduced.

Attention is invited to Par. 8, Cir. 87, W.D., 1921, and instructions requiring that surplus non-commissioned officers be distributed throughout organizations in order to expedite absorptions, and to reduce the number of reductions to a minimum. Department and corps area commanders are authorized, where practicable or desirable, for the purpose of reduction of non-commissioned officers, to group two or more like organizations within the department or corps area, reduction within these groups to be made in accordance with the foregoing instructions.

By order of the Secretary of War:

PEYTON C. MARCH, Major Gen., Chief of Staff.

MARKSMANSHIP QUALIFICATION.

Machine Guns, Automatic Rifles and 37-mm. Guns.

Cir. 159, June 16, 1921, War Dept.

1. All existing regulations or instructions whereby additional pay is granted for qualification with machine guns, automatic rifles and 37-mm. guns, are suspended until such time as specific legislation on additional pay for such qualifications is enacted and until further orders relative thereto are promulgated.

2. In view of approved opinion of the Judge Advocate General of the Army additional compensation already paid to enlisted men for qualifications indicated in Par. 1 will not be deducted as having been erroneously paid.

By order of the Secretary of War:

PEYTON C. MARCH, Major Gen., Chief of Staff.

LONGEVITY PAY, ENLISTED MEN.

Cir. 160, June 16, 1921, War Dept.

Par. 2, Cir. 124, W.D., 1921, is amended to read as follows: 2. The term "service in the Army" is not restrictive, and includes service terminated by dishonorable discharge; "the equivalent of Army service" as used above includes service in the Marine Corps and service in the Navy (27 Comp. Dec. 170). The effective date from which adjustments of pay on account of naval service will be made is July 1, 1920. Service in the National Guard (other than while in active duty) will not be counted for purposes of longevity pay.

By order of the Secretary of War:

PEYTON C. MARCH, Major Gen., Chief of Staff.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS.

GEN. J. J. PERSHING, C.S.

Leave one month and ten days to Lieut. Col. W. B. Wallace, G.S., about July 5. (June 14, 2d C.A.)

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

MAJOR GEN. P. C. HARRIS, THE A.G.

Leave four months, with permission to visit U.S. and insular possessions, to Col. J. W. Craig, A.G. (June 16, P.C.D.).
Leave three months and ten days to Col. H. M. Morrow, J.A., about Aug. 15, with permission to leave U.S. (June 27, W.D.).

Lieut. Col. O. H. Dockery, Jr., A.G., is assigned to duty as adjutant, 4th Division, and to Camp Lewis, Wash., for duty. (June 25, W.D.).

So much of par. 42, S.O. 97, W.D., April 27, 1921, as assigns Lieut. Col. J. O. Steger, A.G., to duty as adjutant, 4th Division, Camp Lewis, Wash., is amended so as to direct Colonel Steger to report by telegraph to The A.G. of the Army for assignment. (June 25, W.D.).

Major J. F. Crutcher, A.G., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for duty. (June 27, W.D.).

The following officers of A.G.D. to places indicated in connection with Victory Medal distribution: Majors R. S. Lytle to Fort McPherson, Ga., and A. B. Van Wormer to Fort Sam Houston, Texas. (June 27, W.D.).

Major A. B. Van Wormer, A.G.D., to Hars. 7th Corps Area, Fort Crook, Nebr., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

QUARTERMASTER CORPS.

MAJOR GEN. H. L. ROGERS, Q.M.G.

Col. A. W. Yates, Q.M.C., to San Francisco for duty. (June 25, W.D.).

Leave one month, about July 1, to Col. B. F. Cheatham, Q.M.C. (June 28, W.D.).

Lieut. Col. L. D. Cabell, Q.M.C., about July 5 to San Antonio, Texas, for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Major J. Frank, Q.M.C., to Panama, C.Z., on transport to sail about Sept. 1 (June 23, W.D.).

Major W. W. Griffin, Q.M.C., to Boston for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

Major C. A. Meals, Q.M.C., to Antwerp, Belgium, on transport to sail Aug. 25, thence to Paris to the Ecole de L'Entendance as student. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. T. J. Powell, Q.M.C., to Camp Holabird, Md., for duty as student. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. A. W. Ellis, Q.M.C., to Panama C.Z. on transport to sail about Sept. 1 and to Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. J. O. Whitaker, Q.M.C., to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Capt. J. J. Deeming, Q.M.C., to Lakehurst Proving Ground, N.J., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

First Lieut. L. B. Lewis, Q.M.C., to Camp Alfred Vail, N.J., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

First Lieut. C. M. Clancy, Q.M.C., from Hot Springs, Ark., to Walter Reed General Hospital, Takoma Park, for further treatment. (June 25, W.D.).

Leave two months to 1st Lieut. D. O. Howard, Jr., Q.M.C., with permission to leave U.S. (June 27, W.D.).

First Lieut. D. C. Howard, Jr., Q.M.C., to Fort Myer, Va., for duty. (June 27, W.D.).

First Lieut. G. M. Mayer, Q.M.C., to Bolling Field, D.C., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Tech. Sergt. L. Kinolt, Q.M.C., will be placed upon the retired list at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and to home. (June 23, W.D.).

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

MAJOR GEN. M. W. IRELAND, S.G.

MEDICAL CORPS.

Lieut. Col. C. H. Connor, M.C., from further duty with American Red Cross and will report by telegraph to commanding general 8th Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, for assignment to duty and will join station. (June 23, W.D.).

Lieut. Col. G. Brown, M.C., to Camp Benning, Ga., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Lieut. Col. S. H. Wadhams, M.C., report to Army retiring board at Washington for examination. (June 28, W.D.).

The leave granted Major N. A. Myll, M.C., is extended one month. (June 25, W.D.).

The following officers of M.C. to Carlisle Barracks, Pa., and report on July 24 at Medical Field Service School for pursuing a course of instruction: Major R. A. Hale; Capt. C. V. Gautier, C. G. Harvey, M. K. Lindsay, J. R. Horrick and A. J. Vadale; 1st Lieut. C. R. Mueller, J. M. Tamras, G. P. Sandrock, W. L. Thompson, W. M. Blackshaw and W. C. Royals. (June 27, W.D.).

Major G. C. Dunham, M.C., report in person to Surgeon General of the Army for duty in his office. (June 28, W.D.).

Major G. H. Dorsey, M.C., now at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, from further duty at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and will report in person to C.O. Fitzsimons General Hospital for duty. (June 25, W.D.).

Leave two months and fifteen days to Major E. F. Haines, M.C., with permission to leave U.S. (June 28, W.D.).

The following officers of M.C. to Carlisle Barracks, Pa., and report July 24 at Medical Field Service School for pursuing a course of instruction: Major W. G. McKay; Capt. A. Bowen, J. F. Edwards, S. Hardeman, W. C. Pollock, W. D. McLelland, M. A. St. Peter, W. K. Turner, O. F. Schmitt, J. S. Craig, J. I. Meagher, C. A. Newcomb, M. F. Rudolph, J. M. Bryant, F. B. Hutton, Jr., and J. A. Johnson; 1st Lieut. J. M. Miller, D. L. Roberson, G. F. Cooper, A. D. Haverstock and J. A. Mendelson. (June 27, W.D.).

Capt. G. E. Atwood, M.C., to San Juan, Porto Rico, on transport to sail about Sept. 1 for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

The following officers of M.C. July 24, to Medical Field Service School, Carlisle, Pa., for pursuing a course of instruction: Capt. G. R. Harris, Jr., A. G. Heilman and J. M. Huddleston. (June 27, W.D.).

The following officers of M.C. to Carlisle Barracks, Pa., on July 24 for pursuing a course of instruction: Capt. J. F. Lieberman, W. B. Foster, Jr., J. R. Hudnall, F. McA. Moore, E. H. Gist, H. A. Clark, L. W. Hassett, W. J. Hiehe, J. A. Orban, R. E. Thomas and D. H. Mebane; 1st Lieut. H. J. Hutter and A. W. Drew. (June 27, W.D.).

Capt. D. C. Hutton, M.C., to Seattle, Wash., for transportation to Manila on transport to sail about July 12 for duty. (June 27, W.D.).

Capt. J. A. Logan, M.C., to Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

First Lieut. E. A. Casserly, M.C., to San Juan, Porto Rico, on transport to sail about Sept. 1 for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

First Lieut. M. J. Seid, M.C., found physically disqualified for the duties of a captain, M.C., by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement from active service as a captain is announced, to date from July 11, 1920. (June 25, W.D.).

DENTAL CORPS.

Leave for three months, about July 6, to Col. F. F. Wing, D.C., Fort Sam Houston. (July 14, 8th C.A.).

Major C. M. Taylor, D.C., will report in person to attending surgeon, Washington, for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

Major C. Denham, D.C., and Capt. G. Granger, M.C., to Panama C.Z. on transport to sail about Sept. 1, 1921, for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

Major W. A. Squires, D.C., to Panama C.Z. on transport to sail about Sept. 1, and to Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, C.Z., and report in person to the commanding general, Panama Canal Dept., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. H. C. Feyler, D.C., to Camp Knox, Ky., for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

Capt. H. O. Lindsey, D.C., report at Walter Reed General Hospital, Takoma Park, D.C., for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

ENLISTED MEN.

Master Sergt. E. P. Johnson, Med. Dept., will be placed upon the retired list at the Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark. (June 22, W.D.).

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. H. M. LORD, C.F.

Leave one month to Lieut. Col. P. L. Smith, F.D., about July 1. (June 13, 2d C.A.).

Major F. W. Duryea, F.D., to Fort Mason, Calif., for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

Capt. T. F. Powell, F.D., to Governors Island, N.Y., for duty as property auditor, relieving Capt. H. Baldwin, F.D., who will proceed to Fort Crook, Nebr., for duty as assistant finance officer, 7th Corps Area. (June 23, W.D.).

CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

MAJOR GEN. L. H. BEACI, C.E.

Major D. D. Pullen, C.E., from Panama Canal Dept. to duty in the Office of the Chief of Engineers, Washington. (June 24, W.D.).

Leave one month, with permission to leave U.S., to Major G. Mayo, C.E. (June 23, W.D.).

Major F. W. Herman, C.E., is assigned to 11th Engrs. and to Panama C.Z. on transport to sail about Sept. 1 for duty. (June 25, W.D.).

Capt. H. H. Pohl, C.E., is detailed as instructor, Engrs., District of Columbia N.G. (June 23, W.D.).

Capt. K. S. Jones, C.E., is assigned to 14th Engrs. and to Manila on transport to sail about Aug. 5, 1921, for duty. (June 25, W.D.).

Leave one month and twenty-four days to Capt. L. D. Worham, C.E., about July 1. (June 27, W.D.).

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE.

BRIG. GEN. A. A. FRIES, C.W.S.

Capt. D. L. Hooper, C.W.S., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. M. E. Barker, C.W.S. (C.A.C.), from further detail in C.W.S., July 9, and to Fort Williams, Me., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

First Lieut. R. H. Reese, C.W.S., to Edgewood Arsenal, Edgewood, Md., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

First Lieut. E. J. Sullivan, C.W.S., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md., for duty. (June 24, W.D.).

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

MAJOR GEN. C. C. WILLIAMS, C.O.

Major E. Collins, O.D., to Camp Dix, N.J., for duty as O.O., 1st Div. (June 23, W.D.).

Major S. H. Frank, O.D., to Governors Island, N.Y., as C.O. (June 24, W.D.).

Major A. W. Ford, O.D., to U.S. Military Academy for duty about July 10. (June 25, W.D.).

Major C. M. Roberts, O.D., to Washington for duty in his office. (June 25, W.D.).

Major S. S. Underwood, O.D., to Tullytown Arsenal, Pa., for duty as C.O., relieving Warrant Officer J. W. Quickmire. (June 28, W.D.).

Capt. C. Barnard, O.D., to Raritan Arsenal, N.J., for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

The following officers of O.D. to Fort Monroe, Va., Sept. 1: Capt. R. F. Meini and G. R. Hartrick. (June 24, W.D.).

Capt. F. J. Atwood, O.D., to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Capt. R. S. Barr, O.D., to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., for duty. (June 28, W.D.).

Capt. J. D. McIntyre, O.D., to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., for duty as a student officer. (June 28, W.D.).

First Lieut. C. O'Leary, O.D., to Antwerp on transport to sail about July 14, and thence to Coblenz, Germany, for duty. (June 23, W.D.).

The following officers of O.D. to Camp Knox, Ky., Field Artillery School, Sept. 1, 1921, for duty as a student officer: Capt. J. A. Root and N. W. Osborn. (June 24, W.D.).

Tech. Sergt. S. de Forest, O.D., to New Cumberland General Reserve Depot, New Cumberland, Pa., for duty. (June 21, W.D.).

AIR SERVICE.

MAJOR GEN. C. T. MENOHER, C.A.S.

Major J. C. McDonnell, A.S., is detailed as assistant professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge. (June 24, W.D.).

Leave two months and fifteen days to Capt. W. I. Rasor, Air Ser. (June 23, W.D.).

Leave two months to 1st Lieut. W. H. Brookley, A.S. (June 23, W.D.).

CHAPLAINS.

CHAPLAIN J. T. AXTON, CHIEF OF CHAPLAINS.

Col. W. T. Johnston, Cav., is detailed in I.G.D. and to Washington for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Col. S. G. Jones, Cav., to Fort Sheridan, Ill., for duty. (June 25, W.D.)

The names of the following Cavalry officers are placed on the D.O.L.: Col. G. F. Hamilton and G. H. Preston, Lieut. Col. O. W. Rethorst, Capt. S. A. Townsend and W. H. W. Reinburg. (June 24, W.D.)

The following officers to Antwerp, Belgium, on transport to sail about Aug. 25, 1921, thence to Paris, and to Saumur for entering the Ecole de Cavallerie as student officer Oct. 3: Major B. T. Merchant and Capt. E. A. Regnier, Cav. (June 24, W.D.)

Leave one month and fifteen days, about July 1, 1921, to Col. J. P. Wade, Cav. (June 25, W.D.)

Cav. officers to duty as follows: Lieut. Col. E. S. West to proper station, Fort Leavenworth, Kas.; Major D. G. Morrisett to Fort Riley, Kan., Sept. 10, as student officer in the troop officers' course; Capt. R. L. Coe to Fort Riley, Kan., on Sept. 10, 1921, as a student in the troop officers' course; Capt. O. L. Sanders to Fort Riley, Kan., 2d Cav.; Capt. G. Galwey is assigned to 1st Cavalry, Douglas, Ariz.; Capt. R. B. D. McCullough to Fort Riley with 2d Cav. until Sept. 10, when he will report to Cavalry School for duty as a student. (June 23, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. D. T. E. Casteel, Cav., to Boston, Mass., for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. J. A. Benjamin, 8th Cav., from further assignment to that regiment and his name is placed on the D.O.L. (June 24, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. R. B. Going, 9th Cav., from further assignment to that regiment upon completion of foreign service, and will report to The A.G. of Army for further orders. (June 25, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. W. J. Kendrick, Cav., is detailed in A.G.D. and to Washington for duty. (June 27, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. G. W. Biegler, Cav., is detailed in I.G.D. and to Washington for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. R. W. Walker, Cav., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Major J. K. Brown, Cav., to Paris, France, and thence to Saumur, France, for entering the Ecole de Cavallerie as student officer. (June 24, W.D.)

Major S. W. Winfree, Cav., is assigned to 7th Cavalry and to Fort Bliss, Texas, for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

Major V. V. Taylor, Cav., from duty as a student at the Cavalry School, Fort Riley, and from assignment to 2d Cav. and will report to commandant of school for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

The name of Major D. A. Robinson, Cav., is placed on D.O.L., effective July 1, 1921. (June 24, W.D.)

The leave granted Major A. G. Hixson, Cav., is extended one month and five days. (June 24, W.D.)

Major A. T. Coley, 13th Cav., to Fort Riley on Aug. 30 and to commandant Cavalry School for duty as secretary. (June 25, W.D.)

Major J. F. Richmond, Cav., from duty as a student officer at Cavalry School, Fort Riley, and will report to commandant of that school for duty in command of Cavalry School detachment. (June 25, W.D.)

The following Cavalry officers to Fort Bliss, Texas, and report on July 5 in connection with the Cavalry-Engineer ride team: Majors I. S. Martin, K. G. Eastham, P. Menoher, V. R. Bell, Capt. L. R. Davis, J. H. Washburn, J. L. Rice, G. J. Booth, F. C. De Langston, C. B. Byrd, J. Van V. Sherr, R. J. B. Casseday, R. P. Gerfen, R. R. Allen; 1st Lieuts. J. J. Lambert, J. H. Healy. (June 25, W.D.)

Major C. B. Hazeltine, Cav., is, at his own request, relieved from duty as C.O., Fort Shafter, H.T., and Hqs. Commandant, Hawaiian Department, and to Schofield Barracks, H.T., for attachment to 17th Cav. and to duty as squadron commander. (June 9, W.D.)

Major A. J. Milton, 17th Cav., from station and duty at Schofield Barracks, H.T., to Fort Shafter, H.T., for duty as Hqs. Commandant, Hawaiian Department, and as C.O., Fort Shafter. (June 9, H.D.)

Major J. P. Yancey, Cav., is detailed as assistant professor New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, Aug. 20. (June 27, W.D.)

Leave one month and twenty days, about July 22, to Major J. T. McLane, Cav. (D.O.L.). (June 23, 4th C.A.)

Major J. F. Davis, 13th Cav., from further assignment to that regiment and is detailed as assistant professor Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Aug. 20. (June 27, W.D.)

Major O. G. Palmer, Cav., from 16th Cav. and is detailed in The A.G. Department, Washington. (June 28, W.D.)

Major J. F. Wall, Cav., will report to Major R. E. Fisher, Cav., instructor Idaho N.G., Boise, Idaho, for duty as his assistant. (June 28, W.D.)

Capt. W. C. Chase, 16th Cav., from further assignment to that regiment and is detailed as assistant professor Michigan Agricultural College, Lansing, Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. J. R. W. Diehl, Cav., is detailed as assistant professor Norwich University, Northfield, Vt., Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. J. V. V. Shufelt, Cav., to duty as assistant professor Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst, Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

The name of Capt. J. V. V. Shufelt, Cav., is placed on D.O.L. Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. M. W. Davis, Cav., from duty with 3d Cav. and is detailed as assistant professor Michigan Agricultural College, Lansing, Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

The name of Capt. W. C. Chase, Cav., is placed on D.O.L. Aug. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. R. N. Atwell, 13th Cav., is detailed as assistant professor University of Illinois, Urbana, Aug. 20. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. R. R. Allen, 16th Cav., is detailed as assistant professor Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Aug. 10. (June 27, W.D.)

The following officers are detailed as assistant professors Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Texas: Capt. H. M. Rose, Cav., Aug. 25, and 1st Lieut. F. B. Shotwell, Cav., Aug. 10. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. C. De Witt, jr., 3d Cav., from further assignment to that regiment and is detailed as assistant professor University of Georgia, Athens, Sept. 25. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. A. W. Williams, Cav., is detailed as assistant professor University of Arizona, Tucson. (June 27, W.D.)

Capt. G. S. Finley, 11th Cav., is detailed as assistant professor Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Aug. 10. (June 27, W.D.)

Leave one month to Capt. F. L. Whittaker, Cav. (June 28, W.D.)

Capt. A. Vollmer, Cav., is assigned to 11th Cav. and to Presidio of Monterey, Calif., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Leave one month to 1st Lieut. K. Broadus, Cav., about June 28. (June 25, W.D.)

First Lieut. J. H. Collier, 14th Cav., is detailed as assistant professor New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell. (June 27, W.D.)

First Lieut. H. H. D. Heiberg, 6th Cav., is detailed as assistant professor Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Aug. 20. (June 27, W.D.)

First Lieut. W. S. Conrow, Cav., is assigned to 2d Cav. July 1 for duty. (June 27, W.D.)

FIELD ARTILLERY.

MAJOR GEN. W. J. SNOW, C.F.A.

Leave two months to Lieut. Col. W. D. Smith, F.A., about July 1. (June 27, W.D.)

Major C. A. Schleck, F.A., is detailed as instructor, Field Artillery, New York National Guard. (June 24, W.D.)

Leave one month to Major R. Hospital, F.A., about Aug. 7. (June 15, 2d C.A.)

Leave one month to Major T. J. J. Christian, F.A., about Aug. 7. (June 13, 2d F.A.)

Capt. P. G. Black, 81st F.A., from assignment to 81st F.A. and is detailed as instructor, Field Art., Georgia N.G. (June 24, W.D.)

Capt. A. McK. Harper, F.A., is assigned to the Separate Mountain Artillery and to Panama C.Z. on transport sailing about Sept. 1. (June 24, W.D.)

Sick leave three months upon his arrival in U.S., to Capt. A. C. Berry, 13th F.A., Schofield Barracks, H.T. (June 7, H.D.)

Capt. R. B. McBride, jr., 7th F.A., is attached to 14th F.A., July 1, and to Fort Sill, Okla., and join. (June 28, W.D.)

Leave two months to Capt. J. D. White, F.A. (June 28, W.D.)

Sick leave for two months, about June 20, to 1st Lieut. A. S. Reynolds, 82d F.A., Fort Bliss. (June 17, 6th C.A.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJOR GEN. F. W. COE, C.C.A.

Col. A. Hero, jr., C.A.C., from his present assignment to 39th Artillery Brigade, C.A.C., and to Panama C.Z. on transport sailing about Sept. 1 for duty as C.O., Panama Coast Artillery District. (June 24, W.D.)

Sick leave for four months to Col. W. Walke, C.A.C. Honolulu, to sail from Honolulu about June 23. (June 8, H.D.)

Leave two months, about Aug. 5, to Col. M. C. Buckley, C.A.C., with permission to leave U.S. (June 27, W.D.)

Major W. A. Cophorne, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe, Va., not later than Sept. 1, for pursuing battery officers' course. (June 25, W.D.)

Major A. Kimberly, C.A.C., is detailed in I.G.D. and to Washington for duty in office of I.G. (June 25, W.D.)

Major W. W. Hicks, C.A.C., is assigned to coast defenses of Portland and to Fort Williams, Me., for duty. (June 25, W.D.)

The following officers of C.A.C. to Honolulu on transport sailing about Sept. 31 for duty in coast defenses of that department: Majors M. B. Willett, C. U. Edwards, E. B. Hyde, jr., and C. R. Finley. (June 23, W.D.)

Major H. W. Stovall, C.A.C., to Fort Totten, N.Y., for duty on staff of commanding general 2d Corps Artillery District. (June 28, W.D.)

Leave one month and seven days to Major A. Norton, C.A.C., about Aug. 1. (June 27, W.D.)

Officers of Coast Artillery, about Aug. 1, to Honolulu on the transport sailing about Sept. 30 for duty: Capt. C. G. Smith, 1st Lieut. F. S. Gay, J. V. Walsh, L. S. Smith. (June 23, W.D.)

Capt. P. W. Rutledge, C.A.C., to Panama on transport sailing about Sept. 1, thence to Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

Upon his own request Capt. J. W. Vann, C.A.C., aide-de-camp, is relieved from duty as aide-de-camp to Major Gen. G. W. Read, commanding the 5th Corps Area, effective June 30, 1921. (June 29, 4th C.A.)

Capt. J. W. Vann, C.A.C., is assigned to Coast Defenses of Manila and Subic Bays, Fort Mills, P.I., and to Manila on transport sailing about Aug. 5. (June 27, W.D.)

Leave three months, about July 15, with permission to visit Canada, to Capt. G. W. Dunn, jr., C.A.C. (June 22, 4th C.A.)

Officers of C.A.C., about Aug. 1, to Manila on transport sailing about Sept. 7 for duty: Capt. M. G. Armstrong, E. C. Mead; 1st Lieuts. L. W. Bartlett, A. R. MacMillan, W. G. Holder, J. L. Goff. (June 23, W.D.)

Officers of Coast Artillery, about Aug. 1, to Panama C.Z. about Sept. 1 for duty: 1st Lieuts. H. C. Reuter, M. C. Casey, H. W. Winslow, D. B. Herron. (June 23, W.D.)

Leave for one month and five days to 1st Lieut. J. C. Hyland, jr., C.A.C., about July 1. (June 25, W.D.)

Staff Sergt. (Master Gunner) J. Miller, N.C.S., C.A.C., to Fort Amador, C.Z., for duty. (June 15, P.C.D.)

Orders to Station.

The following officers of C.A.C., about Aug. 1, will proceed to stations indicated for duty:

Coast Defenses of Southern New York, Fort Hamilton, N.Y.—Capt. W. M. Gravens, W. S. Phillips, A. H. Campbell, Capt. D. S. DeLong, Fort Hancock, N.J.—Capt. C. P. Maguire; 1st Lieuts. J. M. McMillin, R. S. Trimble, jr., P. P. Applewhite, J. Harris.

Coast Defenses of Chesapeake Bay, Fort Monroe, Va.—Capt. A. Bradshaw, jr., F. A. Hause, J. C. Hutson, B. Bowring, M. McD. Williams, jr., J. D. McMullen, C. C. Terrey, E. A. Lynn, A. F. Englehart; 1st Lieuts. W. C. Coe, H. C. Fowler, L. R. Bullene, C. Himmeler, R. H. Kreuter, L. A. Demson, jr., C. G. McFadden, J. E. Harriman, H. P. Ellis, J. E. Reigerson, G. J. Loungr.

Coast Defenses of San Diego, Fort Rosecrans, Calif.—Capt. S. E. Wolfe and 1st Lieut. J. D. Mitchell.

Coast Defenses of Los Angeles, Fort MacArthur, Calif.—Capt. W. R. Stewart.

Coast Defenses of San Francisco, Fort Winfield Scott, Calif.—Capt. D. M. Cole.

Coast Defenses of Portland, Fort Williams, Me.—Capt. H. R. Pierce; 1st Lieuts. J. G. Renne and C. P. Young.

Coast Defenses of Boston, Fort Warren, Mass.—Capt. L. C. Mitchell and 1st Lieut. M. P. Chitterling.

Coast Defenses of Narragansett Bay, Fort Adams, R.I.—1st Lieuts. L. L. Lemmister, R. J. Burt, jr., E. C. Engelhart, H. K. Williams, jr.

Coast Defenses of Long Island Sound, Fort H. G. Wright, N.Y.—1st Lieuts. J. F. Cassidy, J. F. Sturman, jr., W. B. Meitt.

30th Artillery Brigade, C.A.C., Camp Eustis, Va.—1st Lieuts. H. T. Turnbull, J. V. de P. Dillon, J. H. Rousseau, jr.

Coast Defenses of Key West, Key West Barracks, Fla.—1st Lieuts. C. W. West, W. V. Lunn.

Coast Defenses of the Columbia, Fort Stevens, Ore.—1st Lieut. L. B. Lowry.

Coast Defenses of Puget Sound, Fort Worden, Wash.—1st Lieuts. F. L. Hayden, W. C. Rutter, E. J. Strickland, G. H. Vogel, P. W. Walker.

Coast Artillery Training Center, Fort Monroe, Va.—Capt. C. D. Y. Osom, D. D. Hinman, C. E. Cotter, J. L. Scott, J. L. Hayden. (June 23, W.D.)

INFANTRY.

MAJOR GEN. C. S. FARNSWORTH, C.I.

Col. D. J. Baker, 57th Inf., is relieved from assignment to that regiment. (June 23, W.D.)

Col. H. A. Allen, Inf., to Manila on transport sailing about Aug. 5 for duty. (June 23, W.D.)

Col. R. M. Brambila, Inf., is assigned to 5th Inf. and to Antwerp on transport sailing about Aug. 25 for duty at Coblenz, Germany. (June 23, W.D.)

Officers of Inf. to duty as follows: Col. E. A. Fry, Paris, France, to Camp Benning, Ga., to Infantry School; Major G. Hoisington is assigned to 31st Inf. and to Manila, P.I., on transport sailing about Sept. 7; Major W. G. Weaver is assigned to 30th Inf. and to Camp Pike, Ark. (June 27, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. E. E. Fuller, Inf., to Fort Howard, Md., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Major L. A. Falligant, Inf., is assigned to 6th Inf. (June 23, W.D.)

Major E. W. Fales, Inf., is assigned to 36th Inf. and to Camp Devens, Mass., for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

Major H. Donnelly, Inf., is assigned to 3d Inf. and to Camp Sherman, Ohio, for duty. (June 25, W.D.)

Major P. R. Manchester, Inf., is attached to 13th Inf. and to Camp Devens, Mass., for duty until such time as it will be necessary for him to proceed to Camp Benning, Ga. (June 24, W.D.)

Leave one month to Major S. P. Herren, Inf., about Aug. 1. (June 27, W.D.)

Major C. C. Herriek, 54th Inf., is detailed as assistant professor College of the City of New York. (June 28, W.D.)

Major Hayes A. Kroner, Inf., is assigned as liaison officer for a period of one year at the Marine Corps Schools at Quantico, Va., July 1. (June 28, W.D.)

Sick leave three months to Major H. A. Kroner, Inf., about July 1, with permission to leave U.S. (June 28, W.D.)

Capt. S. K. Burke, Inf., is detailed as assistant professor University of California, Berkeley, Calif., and will proceed to Berkeley for duty. (June 23, W.D.)

Capt. L. Hodnette, Inf., is detailed as assistant professor of military science and tactics, University of Alabama. (June 23, W.D.)

Capt. B. Chastaine, Inf., is assigned to 18th Inf. for duty. The name of Captain Chastaine is removed from the D.O.L. July 1. (June 23, W.D.)

Capt. C. L. Irwin, 29th Inf., from assignment to that regiment and is detailed as assistant professor at University of Wyoming, Laramie. (June 23, W.D.)

The name of Capt. L. P. Hodnette, Inf., is placed on D.O.L. July 1. (June 23, W.D.)

The following officers to Camp Benning, Ga., on Sept. 1 for duty: Capt. P. L. Ransom, 22d Inf.; C. S. Brodbeck, jr., 54th Inf.; J. A. Chase, 41st Inf.; L. R. Forney, 24th Inf.; M. T. Davenport, 23d Inf. (June 24, W.D.)

Leave one month, about July 1, to Capt. C. A. Davis, Inf. (June 24, W.D.)

Capt. E. C. Goding, Inf., to Camp Benning, Ga., Sept. 1 for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

Capt. J. J. Bethurum, Inf., is detailed as assistant professor at University of Kentucky, Lexington. (June 25, W.D.)

Capt. E. John, 25th Inf., Nogales, Ariz., from further duty with that regiment and to Camp Harry J. Jones, Douglas, Ariz., for duty with 48th Inf. (June 20, 8th C.A.)

Capt. T. W. Sidman, 29th Inf., Camp Benning, Ga., is relieved from assignment to that regiment, Sept. 14, and will report to commandant Infantry School for duty as a member of the field officers' class. (June 24, W.D.)

Capt. J. R. De Vall, 37th Inf., to Fort Sheridan, Ill., for duty with the companies of the 37th Inf. at that post. (June 8, 6th C.A.)

The leave granted Capt. H. O. Swindler, Inf., is extended one month. (June 27, W.D.)

Leave one month, about July 1, to Capt. G. P. Savage, Inf. (June 28, W.D.)

The following officers of Inf. are assigned to organizations indicated and to Antwerp on transport sailing about Aug. 25, thence to Coblenz, Germany, for duty: 1st Lieuts. J. T. Curtis, 5th Inf.; W. L. Mitchell, 50th Inf.; D. A. Rosebaum, 5th Inf.; H. E. Smyser, 8th Inf. (June 23, W.D.)

First Lieut. C. L. Keearns, jr., Inf., to Antwerp on transport sailing about Aug. 25, thence to Coblenz, Germany, for duty with 50th Inf., to which he is assigned. (June 24, W.D.)

First Lieut. A. N. Taylor, Inf., is assigned to 33d Inf. and to Panama on transport sailing about Sept. 1 and to Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, for duty with regiment. (June 24, W.D.)

First Lieut. E. W. Gruhn, Inf., is assigned to 21st Inf. and report to commanding general 9th Corps Area for assignment to station and join. (June 25, W.D.)

First Lieut. E. R. Townsend, Inf., is assigned to 43d Inf. and to Panama on transport sailing about Sept. 1 and to Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, for duty with regiment. (June 24, W.D.)

First Lieut. T. D. White, Inf., is assigned to 14th Inf. and to Panama on transport sailing about Sept. 1 for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

First Lieut. R. W. Barhydt, Inf., is assigned to 65th Inf. and to Porto Rico on transport sailing about Sept. 1 for duty. (June 24, W.D.)

First Lieut. H. J. LaCroix, Inf., is assigned to 3d Inf. and to Camp Sherman, Ohio, for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

First Lieut. M. E. Knowles, Inf., is assigned to 47th Inf. and to Camp Lewis, Wash., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

First Lieut. P. D. Casey, Inf., is assigned to 16th Inf. and to Camp Dix, N.J., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Leave one month to 1st Lieut. C. L. Keearns, jr., Inf., about July 2. (June 28, W.D.)

First Lieut. H. L. Lewis, Inf., is assigned to 12th Inf. and will report by telegraph to C.O. 12th Inf. for assignment. (June 28, W.D.)

First Lieut. G. T. Streck, Inf., is assigned to 20th Inf. and to Camp Travis, Texas, for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Second Lieut. G. A. Naylor, Inf., having been found physically disqualified for the duties of a first lieutenant of Infantry by reason of disability incident to the service, his retirement as a first lieutenant is announced, to date from July 1, 1920. (June 25, W.D.)

RETIRED OFFICERS.

Leave one month, about July 10, to Col. G. D. Fitch, retired, with permission to leave U.S. (June 24, W.D.)

Col. L. M. Koehler, retired, from further active duty, July 1, to home. (June 27, W.D.)

The following officers, retired, to stations indicated in connection with Victory Medal distribution: Col.—H. D. Stryer to Fort Wayne, Mich.; G. W. S. Stevens to Vancouver Barracks, Wash.; Lieut. Col.—R. E. Frith to Fort Snelling, Minn. (June 27, W.D.)

The following officers, U.S.A., retired, from further active duty to home: Lieut. Col. A. A. King, C. M. Bunker, R. S. Woodson, J. S. E. Young; Majors H. M. Fales, G. P. Ahern, H. S. Whipple, A. M. Mason; Capt. E. N. Coffey. (June 27, W.D.)

Lieut. Col. A. A. King, retired, is assigned to duty at Fort Bliss, Texas. (June 28, W.D.)

Major S. D. Crawford is detailed as assistant professor Cleveland Public High Schools, Cleveland, Ohio. (June 23, W.D.)

Major R. C. Bull, retired, is detailed as assistant professor Georgetown University Medical School. (June 25, W.D.)

Major H. Harris, retired, to San Diego Barracks, Calif., for duty. (June 28, W.D.)

Major L. Parsons, retired, is detailed as professor at Wofford College Fitting School, Spartanburg, S.C. (June 28, W.D.)

First Lieut. F. E. Artaud from further active duty, July 1, to home. (June 28, W.D.)

WARRANT OFFICERS.

Warrant Officer J. Middleton, Fort Amador, C.Z., to Walter Reed General Hospital, Takoma Park, D.C., for treatment. (June 16, P.C.D.)

Warrant Officer G. M. Gale to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty. (June 21, W.D.)

NOTES OF ARMY PERSONNEL.

Major Gen. Peyton C. March and Col. C. W. Otwell, U.S.A., are among the passengers booked on the Army transport *Somme*, to sail from Hoboken, N.J., July 7, for Antwerp.

Major Gen. John L. Hines, U.S.A., was on June 28 assigned to the command of the 2d Division, Camp Travis, Texas, and Brig. Gen. Samuel D. Sturgis, U.S.A., to command the 5th Division, Camp Jackson, S.C. These assignments became effective July 1.

Major Gen. George O. Squier, C.S.O. of the Army, replied to the address of welcome of Paul Laffont, Under Secretary of State for Posts and Telegraphs, at the opening of the International Wireless Conference in Paris on June 21. At the ceremonies in the Sorbonne there were delegates to the conference from France, England, Italy and Japan as well as the American delegation headed by General Squier.

Major Gen. Willard A. Holbrook, U.S.A., Chief of Cavalry, has provided a very handsome silver cup to be known as the Holbrook trophy which will be presented to the cavalryman making the highest aggregate score in the National Cavalry-Engineer regimental match, and the National Cavalry-Engineer individual match.

Brig. Gen. Robert Emmet Callan, U.S.A., has been assigned to command the 2d Coast Artillery District, with headquarters at Governors Island, N.Y.

Col. R. L. Carmichael, U.S.A., office of the Chief of Finance, has been visiting the various corps area headquarters in connection with the new system of handling War Department accounts provided for under G.O. 20, W.D., 1921. He reported that the order is being received enthusiastically and that it is unanimously agreed its operation will be a great time saver because of its simplicity, and that it will be generally more satisfactory than the system now followed.

Capt. George P. Senef, 33d Inf., U.S.A., won in the regimental rifle competition held on the Canal Zone on June 15 as representative of his regiment in the National Matches to be shot at Camp Perry, Ohio, in August, says *The Tropical Breeze*. His score was 2,124 out of a possible 2,450. Captain Senef, who is to shoot in the trout for the Army Infantry team in July, was expected to leave for the States during the latter part of June.

General Summerall Says Farewell.

Major Gen. Charles P. Summerall, U.S.A., recently in command of the 1st Division, but who has been assigned to duty in the Hawaiian Department, reviewed the division at Camp Dix, N.J., for the last time on June 18. Later the General presented the prizes won in the division field meet. In a communication dated June 19, headed "The Last Farewell," which appeared in the *Bridgehead Sentinel* of June 24, and addressed to the personnel of the division and also to the camp hostesses, the soldier players, field clerks and civilian office assistants, to representatives of the Red Cross, the Salvation Army, Y.M.C.A., not forgetting the telephone and telegraph operators, and to the ladies of Philadelphia for providing a home for men of the division when in that city, the General expressed his sense of gratitude and appreciation to everyone, "military and civil."

Army Warrant Officers' Association.

The Warrant Officers' Association has been steadily growing and at present over twenty-five per cent. of the warrant officers in the Service are members. The following local councils have completed their organization: Atlanta Council No. 1, Atlanta, Ga.; New York Council No. 2, Governors Island, N.Y.; Camp Knox Council No. 3, Camp Knox, Ky.; Eighth Corps Area Council No. 4, Camp Travis, Texas; Golden Gate Council No. 5, San Francisco, Calif. Local councils are now forming in the Canal Zone, at Manila, P.I., Honolulu, H.T., and at several stations in the United States proper. It is proposed to hold a national convention at Atlanta some time in August, at which time the affairs of the association will be discussed and plans for the future perfected.

ARMY ITEMS.

Rifle Practice at Camp Bullis.

There never has been so large an assemblage of troops at the big Texas range at Camp Bullis, it is believed, as is camped there now for annual tryouts. "What with the 1st and 20th Infantry, one battalion of the 40th Infantry, the 2d and the 9th Engineers and some odds and ends from Fort Sam Houston in the galleries, the singing bullets round out one grand melody," writes a correspondent. "Officers and enlisted men rather enjoy the outing inasmuch as the site is 500 feet higher than San Antonio, with very refreshing air. Scores are higher than ever this year and morale could not be better. Moving and boxing bouts are held almost every evening, while on Sunday Chaplains Fisher and Trett conduct devotions, Chaplain Fealy officiating at mass in the morning. By July 31 all the men will be ready to make their night marches back to Camp Travis and Fort Sam Houston."

52d Infantry Defeats 53d at Baseball.

In an exciting game of baseball at Camp Grant, Ill., on June 23, between the 52d and 53d Infantry, which continued for seventeen innings, and was one of the best yet played in the Camp Grant League, the previously undefeated team of the 53d was beaten by that of the 52d by a score of 4-3. A large crowd consisting of troops from the garrison and civilians from the city of Rockford, witnessed the contest.

Langley Field Times Trophy.

The Langley Field Times has given a trophy cup for inter-organization baseball at Langley Field, Va. Chaplain R. Earl Boyd, editor of the Times, states that the trophy is to be a permanent feature, governed by rules formulated in accordance with regulations of the Athletic Committee.

Students at Bakers and Cooks Schools.

The existing regulations which require students at Army bakers and cooks schools shall have at least two years to serve on current enlistment, have been modified so as to require at least one year to serve from the date when they would normally complete the course. In view of this modification it is desired by the War Department that corps area commanders in prescribing regulations for remount schools for horseshoers, tenners, packers and saddlers should not require prospective students to have more than one year to serve in current enlistment at the time they would normally complete the various courses.

Bridgehead Sentinel Ceases Publication.

With its issue of June 24 the *Bridgehead Sentinel*,

organ of the Society of the 1st Division, published at Camp Dix, N.J., ceased publication. One of the best Service publications which appeared during the World War or afterward, its passing will be regretted by all who knew its excellence. The *Sentinel* states that the decision to suspend publication "followed receipt of a War Department order which necessitates the carrying on of such a publication entirely without the aid in any manner of the military," since the Congressional Joint Committee on Printing seeks means of cutting down expenses in all branches of the Government printing. In an editorial the *Sentinel* accepts the situation cheerfully, saying: "The fatal blow was struck not with the idea of visiting pain or disappointment to this publication nor to those of other Army organizations, but was fashioned with a view to save money for the Government and thusly, in some measure, lighten the load upon the shoulders of the taxpayer. A penny wisely saved is a penny wisely earned—let the pounds look out for themselves. The *Bridgehead Sentinel* could continue as a civilian publication entirely, without aid of military labor, but the cost would be prohibitive." In a communication Major Gen. Charles P. Summerall, U.S.A., praises the paper for its excellence and for the good work it has done for the 1st Division. Lieut. Col. Stephen A. Fuqua, U.S.A., former chief of staff of the 1st Division, predicts that it will reappear at some future time. The editor of the *Sentinel* was Lieut. Fred E. Coyne, U.S.A., and the business manager, Major Oliver Allen, U.S.A.

New Army Hospital at El Paso.

The William Beaumont General Hospital at El Paso, Texas, was opened on June 15 with 230 patients and with a medical Army personnel of twelve officers, twenty-seven nurses and 173 enlisted men. The new hospital has a 400-bed capacity. The building is of permanent construction with low porches to exclude excessive light. The hospital is named in honor of Major William Beaumont, 1785-1853, who during his service as a medical officer in the Army conducted experiments on the physiology of digestion as a result of which he became the leading physiologist of the country.

Former Chaplain Feinler Pardoned.

Franz J. Feinler, formerly chaplain, U.S.A., who was dismissed from the Army and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment by a G.C.M. in 1913, after being found guilty of uttering treasonable language and of carrying on active propaganda in favor of the enemy, was pardoned by President Harding on May 18, 1921, and was restored to citizenship. This was made public on June 28. Former Chaplain Feinler was tried by court-martial at Honolulu on charges that were supported by eighteen specifications. The court convicted him and sentenced him to dismissal and to serve fifteen years at hard labor. President Wilson approved the sentence and the ex-chaplain was taken to Fort Leavenworth to serve his sentence. The records in the case show that Feinler was released on parole last year. Later it was recommended to the War Department that his sentence be reduced to four years. In forwarding this recommendation to the White House with his approval Secretary of War Weeks recommended in addition that a pardon be granted to Feinler on the ground that he already had been punished enough. Previous to his trial he was attached to the 13th Infantry and was on duty in France and was ordered home, it is understood, by General Pershing because of his alleged pro-German views. The ex-chaplain has been at the house of the Paulist Fathers at the Catholic University near Washington. He was born in Germany, March 28, 1871, and was appointed a chaplain in the Army from South Dakota on Feb. 16, 1909.

Q.M.C. ANNIVERSARY DINNERS.

In addition to the celebrations already noted in honor of the 146th anniversary dinner of the founding of the Q.M.C. of the Army we have received the following accounts of dinners and other entertainments held by units of the corps on June 16.

Pennsylvania State Chapter, Society of Q.M. Officers.

The Pennsylvania State Chapter of the Society of Quartermaster Officers celebrated the 146th anniversary of the Q.M.C. at the Hotel Adelphi, Philadelphia, when 138 members and guests assembled for dinner. Col. J. B. Houston, Q.M.C., was chairman and Capt. A. C. Jensen, Q.M.C., acting secretary-treasurer of the society was toastmaster. Among the speakers were Colonel Houston, Franklin D'Olier, former commander of the American Legion, and Charles T. Von Tagen, representing the Mayor of Philadelphia. Telegrams and messages of greeting were received from Q.M.C. societies holding dinners at New York city, San Francisco, Boston, Columbus, and Camps McPherson and Grant. A group of Q.M.C. officers on duty at Camp Dix attended the dinner. The committee consisted of the following: Capt. A. C. Jensen, George J. Giger, C. L. Middleton, all Q.M.C. Capt. Maxwell Goldberger, Q.M.R.C.; Lieut. S. Hunsicker, Q.M.C., and Mr. Spencer Duignan.

Fort Leavenworth Celebrations.

There were two celebrations of the Q.M.C. anniversary by the officers and men of the corps stationed at Fort Leavenworth. The first of these was a dinner at the Officers' Club on June 16 attended by all the commissioned officers of the Q.M.C., several warrant officers and field clerks and the officers on duty at the Service Schools. Speeches were made by Col. F. L. Munson, Inf., commandant of the post; Lieut. Col. Hugh A. Drum and Col. Malvern-Hill Barnum, Cav. Col. E. E. Booth, Cav., acted as toastmaster. The second celebration included a banquet, smoker and entertainment held in Turner Hall, Leavenworth, and was attended by 300 officers and men and their guests. The banquet began at eight o'clock and was followed by an entertainment of vaudeville artists furnished for the occasion by the managers of two Leavenworth theaters. The souvenir program, in buff and gold, contained the menu, General Rogers's message from the Quartermaster General, several humorous verses, and the roster and military records of the Q.M.C. at Fort Leavenworth.

Camp Pike Has a Dinner.

Officers of the Quartermaster Corps stationed at Camp Pike, former officers of the corps and officers of Q.M.C. Reserve, celebrated the 146th anniversary of the establishment of the corps with a banquet in the ballroom of the Hotel Marion, Little Rock, Ark., June 16. Fifty covers were laid. Major J. E. Barzynski read the Quartermaster General's message to the corps and Brigadier General Lewis made the principal speech of the evening.

Entertainment was provided by the Primrose Minstrels from the Majestic Theater.

Fort Porter Dinner in Buffalo.

The officers and enlisted men of the Q.M.C. stationed at Fort Porter, N.Y., celebrated the 146th anniversary of the corps with dinners held at the Hotel Iroquois, Buffalo, on the night of June 16. Active and Reserve officers of the corps, together with the leaders of industry, the press, the bar, and the banking institutions of Buffalo, were in attendance. Among the speakers were Col. E. S. Walton, Q.M.C., who made a special trip from Washington, as a personal representative of the Quartermaster General of the Army; Charles W. Robinson, president of the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce; former Col. William J. Donovan and Archer A. Landon. Colonel Walton spoke on the great necessity of closer co-operation and co-ordination between industry and the business branch of the Army, the Quartermaster Corps. The Quartermaster Corps Detachment at the same time were in the grill room of the hotel in celebration of this occasion. Lieut. Harold J. Warlick, Q.M.C., addressed the members of the detachment, expressing his appreciation of their loyalty in the daily performance of their duties, saying he felt certain that the men of the Quartermaster Corps would maintain that standard of efficiency and loyalty that was manifested during the World War.

CHAPLAINS' SCHOOL, U.S.A.

The class banquet and graduation exercises of the fourth term graduates (April 2 to June 24, 1921), of the Chaplains' Special Service Schools at Camp Grant, Ill., were held June 23. The following were the student chaplains: J. R. Benjamin, F. P. Donnelly, W. H. Fowle, H. C. Head, E. E. Lane, P. H. Levesque, G. J. McMurray, J. F. Monahan, J. T. Moore, H. D. Southard, Z. T. Vincent, P. O. Wilcox and H. L. Winter. Chaplain Jodie G. Stewart, on account of illness, was relieved before the course was completed. The program of exercises was as follows: Invocation, Rt. Rev. Peter J. Muldoon, D.D.; remarks, Chaplain Joseph L. Hunter, director; address, Major Gen. George Bell, jr., commandant; awarding certificates and address, Chaplain John T. Axton, Chief of Chaplains, U.S.A.; response for class, Chaplain W. H. Fowle; benediction, Rev. John Gordon, D.D. The orchestra of the 78th Field Artillery rendered the musical numbers, Mr. Kenneth Herbert, W.O. (band leader), conducting.

A memorial service for the late Chaplain C. C. Pierce and wife was held on June 19, at which Chaplains Wood, Hunter, Cohee, Ford, Vaughn took part, and also a quartette composed of Chaplains Benjamin, Moon, Head and Wilcox. In the memorial printed of Chaplain and Mrs. Pierce, it is said, in part: "Chaplain Pierce was a friend of every officer and soldier in the Army, a genial, warm hearted, sympathetic gentleman, and a scholar. He was patriotic and loyal to America, the Army, and the homes from which the Army came. He has gone but his influence will remain in the Chaplains' Corps. Valiant soldier, distinguished clergyman, Christian gentleman, great heart, his spirit will ever uplift and sustain the chaplains in whatever work they are called upon to do."

ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT AIDS FLOOD SUFFERERS.

Immediately after the recent flood at Pueblo, Colo., in the early part of June, upon the request of the Governor of Colorado the authorities of the Fitzsimons General Army Hospital near Denver, organized and established at Pueblo an emergency hospital to take care of the destitute sick and injured. A wireless telegraph outfit was set up at Pueblo so that the emergency hospital was brought into direct communication with the Fitzsimons Hospital. With Major S. U. Marietta, M.C., U.S.A., in command, there were eleven other officers, fifteen nurses and twenty-five enlisted men of the Medical Department, making up the personnel of the relief expedition. Among the many cases treated there were a few patients with smallpox and typhoid fever. The situation is now well under control and it will not be necessary to maintain the emergency hospital much longer at Pueblo as the Public Health Service, Red Cross and other agencies will be able to meet the demands for the care of the sufferers.

COMPANY TRANSFERS TAKING PLACE.

Funds for Army transportation have been so low that the work of transferring certain units has been delayed. However, it has been found that sufficient appropriations are available from the 1921 appropriations to take care of some of the pending transfers. Accordingly arrangements are completed for the transfer of the 2d Tank Company for permanent station from Camp Meade to Camp Travis. The 5th Tank Company now at Camp Meade is going to Camp Jackson, and Co. C, 15th Tank Battalion, from Camp Meade to Camp Benning, all for permanent station. Co. E of the 7th Engineers now at Camp Jackson is being transferred to Camp Benning for temporary duty only.

TRAINING DIVISION ADDED TO SUBG. GENERAL'S OFFICE.

On July 1 there was established in the Surgeon General's office, U.S.A., a training division under the direction of Brig. Gen. Walter D. McCaw, M.C., U.S.A., General McCaw will assume these duties in addition to his duties as commandant of the Army Medical School at Washington. His chief assistant is Lieut. Col. Robert U. Patterson. The training division will have general supervision of all training in the Medical Department, including the Medical Field Training School at Carlisle, Pa.; Army Medical School, Washington, D.C.; all R.O.T.C. work, and all training in summer camps, etc.

ARMY FINANCE SCHOOL TO REOPEN.

The next class of the Army Finance School at Fort Washington, Md., will begin its course on July 11. About eighty names have been presented of candidates for the course, and it is not contemplated more than five or six will be added to the list. The school will be under the same officers as during the term just closed: Lieut. Col. Stanley S. Ross and Capt. Frank E. Parker, both F.D., U.S.A.

SALVAGING OF LOST BAGGAGE.

All unclaimed and lost baggage remaining in the hands of the Effects Bureau at Hoboken, N.J., is being salvaged and disposed of by the Salvage Branch of the Quartermaster Corps. This work will be supervised and carried out by the quartermaster supply officer, New York General Intermediate Depot, Brooklyn, N.Y.

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BRIG. GEN. GEORGE C. RICKARDS CONFIRMED.

The nomination of Brig. Gen. George C. Rickards, Pennsylvania National Guard, to be chief of the Militia Bureau of the War Department, with rank of major general, was confirmed by the Senate on June 28 and the bureau secures a highly capable and efficient officer of large experience. His appointment should prove gratifying to the National Guard generally and his nomination for the office of Chief of the Militia Bureau has been endorsed by officers from all sections of the country. He has been on duty for nearly a year in the War Plans Division, War Department General Staff, on matters connected with the reorganization of the Army, under the provisions of the act of June 4, 1920, and has won the regard of members of the General Staff by his display of a broad-gauge knowledge of military affairs.

OFFICER'S RESERVE CORPS REGULATIONS.

Regulations governing the Officers' Reserve Corps have been compiled and approved in the War Department and probably will be issued in printed form not later than July 15. The work has occupied many months and the regulations are highly creditable to the committee of the War Department General Staff, composed equally of Regular officers and Reserve officers as provided in the Army Reorganization act of June 4, 1920. With the regulations approved, it is believed that activity in the Officers' Reserve Corps will take on an impetus which will arouse the interest of all commissioned in

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the corps. The long period of inactivity has had a depressing effect upon some of the Reserve officers, but despite the suspension of training camps for the current calendar year, it is gratifying to the War Department to note that there has been a constant increase in the strength of the corps. Up to May 31 there were 66,323 officers commissioned in the corps. By grades the corps is composed of 29,291 second lieutenants, 16,413 first lieutenants, 13,192 captains, 5,908 majors, 1,189 lieutenant colonels, 314 colonels, fourteen brigadier generals and two major generals.

OFFICER-CANDIDATES IN ENLISTED RESERVE CORPS.

Enlistments have been authorized in the Enlisted Reserve Corps candidates who apply for appointment as commissioned officers in the Regular Army, with a view to making them eligible to take final examinations for such appointment. In making such enlistments for the Enlisted Reserve Corps and where the applicant has had no prior military training the War Department has directed that he be placed in the Engineers or a branch of the staff corps, to be determined by the enlisting officer, in accordance with the qualification of the candidate. Similar action is to be taken with respect to those applicants for examination for appointment, held April 25-30, who are not now otherwise eligible for appointment under Sec. 24e, act of June 4, 1920.

STRENGTH OF THE NAVY.

Including 785 Reservists and 1,500 men under discipline, the enlisted strength of the Navy had dropped to 117,389 in the week ending June 27. This represented a decrease for the week of 966. The commissioned strength was 7,492. There were 762 Reserve officers on active duty status. Based on an enlisted strength of 143,396, authorized for 1921, the shortage was 28,202 men.

R.O.T.C. CAMPS REDUCED.

The War Department has directed that telegrams be sent to all corps area commanders in substance as follows: "Owing to the reduction in the proposed R.O.T.C. appropriation for the fiscal year 1922, the duration of all Reserve Officers' Training Corps camps within the continental limits of the United States, except the medical camp at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., is reduced from six to five weeks."

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ARMY RULE BY "UNDERSTANDING" FAILS.

When President Harding called Speaker Gillett, Floor Leader Mondell, Representative Greene and Senator Borah to the White House on June 28 for a conference on the Army Appropriation bill, Army government by "understanding" failed. The cause of the conference was the proviso in the Appropriation bill which reads, "that the Army shall be reduced by the Secretary of War so that the sum herein appropriated shall defray the entire cost of the pay of the officers and enlisted men of the line and staff during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922." Since the effect of this provision of the law would preclude deficit appropriations and make it imperative that Secretary of War Weeks shall reduce the enlisted strength of the Army to 150,000 men by Oct. 1, the President wished to ascertain if an informal agreement could be arrived at whereby, if necessary, additional appropriations might be obtained from Congress for the Army so that it would not be necessary to reduce the Army to the strength now fixed in the bill.

The inherent danger of conducting the government of the Army by "understanding" rather than by military law was pointed out by the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL on Feb. 26 when discussing this view of Army government as presented by Representative Greene during a colloquy on Army enlistment with Secretary of War Baker on Dec. 10, 1920. What Mr. Greene showed plainly through his exposition of Congressional opinion was that in the matter of appropriations and enlisted strength of the Army an "understanding" between Congress and the Secretary of War was the ruling factor and not the written law. Mr. Greene said on this point "As I recall it, Mr. Secretary, for quite a number of years past, while each succeeding basic act upon which the Army was organized has fixed a maximum, and in some instances—in fact, up to this reorganization act—even went so far as to provide the maximum for the interior organizations, yet it has been the practice and the definite understanding between the War Department and this committee that the recruitment from year to year would not exceed the amount appropriated for the maintenance of the Army." Again he said: "There has been no engagement between the department and the committee as a matter of law. . . . But there has arisen a practice which has passed into a sort of unwritten law and understanding as to a mutuality of policy;" adding, "It was generally understood by the House . . . that the sum there fixed for the maintenance of the Army was considered a maximum sum, broadly treated, because the Army would not be raised beyond a figure that would require more."

We ventured the prediction in our former discussion of this matter that if Army government by "understanding" was to prevail the strength of the enlisted personnel would be reduced to 150,000 men, and this has come to pass. The evil feature of the old situation was that the War Department maintained a strength commensurate with what it believed the Army needed, trusting to deficiency appropriations to carry along that strength if it chanced to be more than warranted by the annual appropriation. The best feature of the situation created by the failure of the President's conference to agree to any further continuance of this policy of Army government by "understanding" is that both the War Department and the Army officers will know just where they stand regarding the enlisted personnel for the fiscal year 1922. By living within the limits of that law one more cause of friction will be removed between the Army and a Congress obsessed by the idea of an economy that only the reduction of the Services to the uttermost limits will achieve. This will be a difficult task, for the Regular Army must attempt to carry out "missions" defined for it by the War Department's program which call for 200,000 men. Yet even that difficulty is not to be compared with living under a policy of "understanding" rather than of law with all the complications that may arise in consequence of differences of opinion between Congress and the War Department as to what the "understanding" meant. The President's conference achieved an important result when the Army law was restored to its real place in the government of the Army.

LIBERAL POLICY ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

A liberal policy as to leaves of absence and furloughs has been adopted by the War Department, which will shortly be published to the Service. Periods of cessation from routine work for the purposes of travel, healthful recreation and diversion are recognized as essential for the best efficiency of all persons in the military Service. Except in cases of great emergency, the policy of the War Department will be to encourage the taking of leaves of absence by officers and warrant officers and furloughs by enlisted men. It will be the duty of commanding officers having authority to grant leaves to encourage officers and warrant officers to take the full legal

amount of leave due them. It will also be the duty of commanding officers to grant furloughs to enlisted men and encourage them to take an average of thirty days a year when this can be done without manifest injury to the best interests of the individual. Attention is directed to Circular No. 393, W.D., 1920, which regulates leaves and furloughs granted by commanding officers of regiments and separate battalions, and which is still in force.

NAVY BUREAU OF AERONAUTICS.

Upon the enactment of the Naval Appropriation bill, which contains authorization for the organization of a Bureau of Aeronautics in the Navy Department, steps will be immediately taken to form the actual organization. There is no doubt that Capt. William A. Moffett, U.S.N., will be nominated by Secretary Denby for chief of this bureau, and that Captain Moffett will continue his work which has shown efficiency and accomplishment since he became Director of Aviation in the office of Chief of Naval Operations. The new bureau will witness a return to the highly effective and active Division of Aviation which operated during hostilities and brought much credit upon itself and the rapid and orderly expansion of the aeronautical auxiliary of the Service. The Aviation Division had taken a place of importance in the Navy Department so quickly it was natural that at the end of hostilities steps were taken to check its growth into an autonomous bureau. Both the Secretary of the Navy and the Congress at the time were opposed to organization of additional bureaus in the Department. But in view of the growing importance and development of air activities in connection with the fleets, and the still unsettled question as to the place of aeronautics as a component of sea power there is general agreement that Navy aeronautics must be constantly advanced and Navy authorities are apparently convinced that there is now a distinct and separate place for such an independently functioning bureau in the Navy Department. As a bureau it becomes a positive instead of a negative function, and it brings under the cognizance and control of the chief of bureau all the aeronautical activities which are now scattered among the various bureaus.

In the sectional organization of the Bureau of Aeronautics there will be co-ordinated the Aircraft Division of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, which has structural cognizance of both heavier-than-air and lighter-than-air craft; the aviation officers of the Planning and Material Divisions of the office of Chief of Naval Operations; the Aviation Section of the Bureau of Ordnance; the Aeronautic Division of the Bureau of Steam Engineering; the assistant for aviation in the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts; the Aviation Base Section of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, and the assistant for aviation in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery. Authority will thereafter follow the channel from the Secretary of the Navy through the Chief of Naval Operations to the Chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, who will also have charge of aviation in the Fleet through the commander-in-chief of the Fleet, and of Fleet air detachments and ship detachments. The Chief of Bureau will also have control of aviation in the naval districts. It is apparent on considering the distribution of aviation activities as indicated in the foregoing that co-ordination was difficult because the Director of Aviation could be no more than liaison officer between the Chief of Operations and the various bureaus having control of some portion of the Navy's air activities. While the system has undoubtedly served to check the fullest advancement, it is to the credit of the Directors of Aviation, Capt. T. T. Craven, U.S.N., and Captain Moffett, that the Navy has advanced to the leading position it holds in aviation and that the personnel has attained to the efficiency and morale so aptly demonstrated in the bombing exercises now being carried on.

ENLARGEMENT OF WEST POINT PROPOSED.

Estimates involving an expenditure of \$4,000,000 for the enlargement of the U.S. Military Academy have been submitted to the War Department. The improvements proposed would be sufficient to accommodate nearly twice the present number of cadets. Last year, after the examinations, there were at the Academy 1,065 cadets. The instructors could take care of the present authorized maximum strength of 1,338, but owing to the present arrangement for selection of candidates and the lack of interest on the part of Representatives and Senators in designating candidates, the number actually in attendance is always considerably below the authorized strength. A bill is now before Congress to give greater latitude in the selection of candidates in order to maintain the strength nearer to its maximum, and the prospects are good for its becoming a law. It is estimated by the War Department that the U.S. Military Academy will furnish under its present capacity about fifty per cent. of the commissioned personnel of the Army after the present vacancies are filled.

Judging from expressions of a number of the older officers who are graduates of West Point, many feel that such an enlargement should not be permitted to cut off other avenues now established to furnish officer material for the Army. The R.O.T.C. is an ever-increasing source for securing junior officers and in all probability this source could be greatly stimulated if graduates from recognized units attaining the higher grades could be assured commissions in the Regular Army. Other im-

portant reservoirs of officer personnel include the National Guard, the enlisted personnel of the Army itself, the graduates of private and state military schools, and students from honor colleges and universities. It is felt by high ranking officers who have considered the question that the admixture of officers from these various sources outside the U.S. Military Academy has a beneficial effect upon the Regular Army, giving it a broader and more diversified and elastic quality.

The authorized strength for the U.S. Military Academy is not nearly so large now in proportion to the population of the United States as it was a century ago. In 1820 the population was 9,638,453, and the strength of the Corps of Cadets was 250. If the corps had a proportionate strength to-day the cadets would number more than 2,500. Owing to the expansion of industry, however, and the dispersion of population and other considerations the proportion does not present an adequate parallel, since there were comparatively few institutions of learning in the early years of the nation. There have been many graduates of West Point who have returned to civil life and whose training at the Military Academy has been the foundation of distinguished careers and has made them an element of the utmost value in our national life. There is no finer training than that of the Military Academy in the spirit of patriotism and of service to country, and no better educational foundation for a career of usefulness. It is to be hoped that the value of West Point training may be realized and that this training may be made possible for a greater number of American youths. But at the same time the Army recognizes the importance of other sources of officer material and of the value of diversity of viewpoint in its officer personnel.

SALE OF CAMPS, POSTS AND RANGES.

Although the War Department has sold a great number of cantonment buildings and released many acres of land acquired temporarily during the war, there are still many sales of camps and posts contemplated. Included in these are two munitions plants in the vicinity of Montreal, Canada, acquired by the United States during the war, where large quantities of 155-mm. shells were machined. One is known as the Peter Lyall Construction Co. plant, consisting of 490,935 square feet of land surface and a floor space in buildings of 260,351 square feet. Everything is to be sold, including the land and all equipment. Bids are advertised to be open July 25. The other plant is the Munitions and Machinery, Ltd., consisting of one three-story main building of brick, and a small frame structure used for oil storage. The land, buildings and improvements at Camp Gordon, Ga., are to be sold soon after June 30; no definite arrangements having yet been made as to the time or terms of the sale. A portion of the buildings at Camp Funston, Kas., are soon to be sold, but the date of the sale has not been determined by the War Department. Camp Lee, Va., is also to be sold. The land will be retained. At Camp McClellan, Ala., all the buildings and fixtures are scheduled to be sold except the buildings used for warehouses. About 150 surplus cantonment buildings at Camp Sherman, Ohio, are to be sold by auction, but the date has not been fixed. Some time between Aug. 20 and Sept. 30, approximately 100 miscellaneous buildings of temporary construction at Camp Grant are to be sold. Sales of several National Guard target ranges which have been declared surplus are now under consideration, among which are one near Anniston, Ala., and at Natick, Mass. The Anniston range will be sold at auction. It was thought the range at Flint, Mich., would be sold, but its use by the National Guard of Michigan has been resumed, and all consideration of its sale by the War Department has been dropped. The buildings and improvements on the following flying fields in Texas are also to be sold, the land in each case being leased: Barron Field, Everman; Love Field, Dallas; Rich Field, Waco, and the aviation repair depot at Dallas.

ARMY PROMOTIONS STILL STATIONARY.

The situation as to the absolute block to Army promotions due to the failure of the Senate to confirm the nomination of Major Robert G. Peck, Inf., for promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel, has not changed in the past week. The War Department is immovable from its policy of observing the promotion law to the letter and in the spirit. Promotions to the grade of colonel and to the grades of major and captain, which are not affected by the congestion in the grade of lieutenant colonel because of the Peck case, have been made, dates of rank in the grades of major and captain being Nov. 25, 1921, or later, which promotions are unaffected by the block formed because of the Creary-French suits in civil court. These promotions include Lieut. Col. A. E. Waldron, C.E., to colonel, June 17, 1921; and F. C. Jewell, C.A.C., to colonel June 18, 1921. Also the nominations, since confirmed as elsewhere noted, which appeared in our issue of June 25, page 1153. These are: Captains to major, T. Gordon to F. J. Baker; and lieutenants to captain, A. M. Reeve to R. C. Wells. As to the Peck case, the Senate Committee on Military Affairs is evidently content to allow the matter to rest until a reply is received from the President to the letter of Senator Capper which submitted the allegations upon which the officer, the Senator charged, should be separated from the Service. The President has acknowledged the receipt of the letter, stating that the nomina-

tion had been submitted to the Senate upon the recommendation of the Secretary of War and that the letter and enclosures were submitted to Secretary Weeks for his consideration. In the War Department it is learned that the reply to the letter of Senator Capper is still in preparation and that it will enter exhaustively into the question of the law in the case and contain in effect a strong defense of both the justness of the nomination and of Major Peck's right to promotion. Senators Capper and Spencer, the principal opponents to this confirmation, had nothing to say pending the full reply to the letter from the President.

APPOINTMENTS OF LIEUTENANTS IN THE ARMY.

To the candidates who took the examinations of April 25-30 for appointment as second lieutenant in the Regular Army it may be stated that the forecast made in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL some weeks ago that the appointments would not be made until about Aug. 1 is still effective. The War Department is waiting for papers of one man who took the examination in the Philippine Department, and not until this report is received can the entire list be acted upon. Delay in appointments, it is explained, is due also to the fact that the board must fix each man's place on the promotion list prior to his appointment, a matter which was arranged subsequent to the appointment of the emergency officers last year. Appointments resulting from the April examinations are from three classes, the first composed of warrant officers and enlisted men, the second of Reserve officers, and the third of graduates of honor educational institutions. As the appointments will first be made from the first class, and from the other two classes subsequently, the difficulties of the selection board may be seen. It is not expected that the appointments will aggregate more than 400 to 500 for the reason that the examinations were severe and many men gave up after attempting the first test. For the examination announced for Aug. 22, for appointment in the junior grade, it is expected that the tests will be less severe and that a young man of good education, by preparing for the test, ought to be able to qualify.

NAVY POLICY ON "LINE OF DUTY."

Announcement was made by Secretary of the Navy Denby on June 25 that the Navy Department, in view of recent opinions of the Attorney General upon the various acts relative to "line of duty," had adopted a policy based upon the following opinion on that subject, which places a more liberal construction upon the term "line of duty" than has heretofore been given it: "Any person who was in active service in the naval forces of the United States at the time an injury was suffered or a disease contracted, causing disability, whether on active duty or furlough, leave of absence, or under arrest, such injury or disease shall be deemed to have been suffered or contracted in the line of duty, unless it appears that the injury or disease has been caused by wilful misconduct upon the part of the person suffering disability or by something done by him in some private avocation or business which has intervened as the producing cause between his public service or performance of duty and the injury or disease. An exception to the above arises when the disability is recurrent and originally incurred previous to admission to the Naval Service. Each case of this latter character must be settled in accordance with the evidence adduced. Where there has been no recurrence of the disease for many years previous to admission to the Naval Service, it is held that the recurrence is incident to the Service and in line of duty."

STUDY OF NAVY SELECTION SYSTEM.

With Admiral R. E. Coontz, U.S.N., Chief of Naval Operations, as president, a board of officers has been appointed to make a study of the present method of promotion by selection with the purpose of making recommendations as to changes found advisable in the present law. The board will also make recommendations relative to the general subject of officer personnel. In the latter connection the subjects to be considered are the advisability of any change in the existing system of officer education, which is to include comment upon the U. S. Naval Academy, post-graduate courses and the Naval War College; also the best method of filling existing vacancies in the authorized officer strength of the Navy and of providing a homogeneous officer personnel. Suggestions from officers of the Navy are invited and will be forwarded to the recorder of the board, Comdr. Lamar R. Leahy, U.S.N., Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department.

SHORTAGE OF MEDICAL DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL.

The Army Appropriation bill of June 30 affords some relief to the shortage of officers in the Medical Department by permitting forty-three O.R.C. officers to remain on active duty. Nothing is contained in the law, however, which will relieve the situation in the Dental and Veterinary Corps. Even with the Reserve officers now on active duty in these corps they are still short of personnel, especially the Veterinary Corps, which is operating on about half the number of officers it had last year with about an equal number of animals to care for. Also the time limit expires for the retention of twenty-nine Dental officers and thirteen Veterinary officers from the Officers' Reserve Corps, and they must be relieved.

ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL SIGNED.

But President Protests at Injustice of Bill.

President Harding signed the Army Appropriation bill on June 30 and at the same time sent a message to Congress calling attention to the grave situation created by the reduction of the strength of the Army to 150,000 men by Oct. 1. The President's message to Congress said:

"I am advising the Congress of my approval of H.R. 5010, a bill making provision for the maintenance and support of the U.S. Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922. I cannot resist calling to the attention of the Congress at this time the very great embarrassment in carrying out its provisions while dealing justly with the enlisted forces of the Army so that a later call for a slight modification may not be wholly without notice.

"The bill necessitates a very large reduction in the enlisted personnel of the Army and it is doubted that this reduction can be brought about without the summary dismissal of many thousands of men who have a right to expect at the hands of the Government the same moral obligations which the Government requires of them when they enlist for service.

"In perfect good faith the Secretary of War will proceed to reduce the Army to the figures contemplated by the Congress. The normal expiration of enlistments probably will approximate one-half the reduction which the Congress has directed, and every effort will be made to meet the requirements of the Congress at the earliest possible day.

"I would not feel justified in asking the Secretary of War to enforce the dismissal of men who have enlisted for a definite term of service. There seems to be a moral obligation involved, the violation of which would be demoralizing to the spirit of the Army itself, and might prove a very serious discouragement when enlistments are desired in the future.

"I have thought I ought to say these things to the Congress now because in its earnest desire to reduce the Army personnel and limit Army expenditures the Congress has especially provided that no deficit shall be created. The Secretary of War will seek to avoid the creation of any deficit, but if a probable deficit develops in a just procedure to reduce our enlisted forces I will report to the Congress at the earliest possible day and ask it to relieve the embarrassment of the Secretary of War and make such provision as will be necessary to deal justly with our enlisted men while attempting to keep faith with the Congress to the fullest possible degree."

The amount carried by the bill is approximately \$328,000,000. The principal provisions of the bill were given in our issue of June 25, page 1158.

The President on June 28 had called a conference of members of the Senate and House for the purpose of determining the question whether additional appropriations for the Army might be granted by Congress, if necessary, in spite of the proviso in the Army Appropriation bill which makes it obligatory on the Secretary of War to reduce the personnel of the Army to within the limit provided by the appropriation for pay of the Army for the fiscal year 1922. It was attended by Secretary of War Weeks, Speaker Gillett, Floor Leader Mondell, Representative Greene of Vermont, and Senator Borah. Newspaper reports state that the President told the conferees that he was inclined to veto the bill owing to the fact that he felt a great injustice was being done to the 70,000 enlisted men who would have to be discharged from the Army by Oct. 1. Senator Borah, according to newspaper reports, warned the President that if he vetoed the bill and it was returned to Congress, in the present temper of Congress it would mean the reduction of the enlisted strength to 100,000 men. The President repeated that it would not be necessary for him to veto the bill if it could be agreed that a deficit would be permitted and cared for should the occasion arise. Secretary Weeks protested against the reduction of the Army, but the House members present agreed with Senator Borah that legislation to repeal the proviso against creating a deficit could not be accomplished in the present temper of Congress. They also agreed with him that the tendency would be further to reduce the Army in the case of a veto. It was reported on June 29 that Senators Lodge and Curtis had advised the President to sign the Army bill despite his objections to the provision that requires the reduction of the enlisted personnel.

Difficult Problem Presented.

The bill provides what is considered to be a sufficient sum of money to maintain an average enlisted strength for the year of 158,751. It is pointed out that supplemental items, or those incidental to the maintenance of troops, have been reduced so closely that it will be practically impossible to maintain a force of 150,000 men. For example, the added pay for foreign service provides for 1,931 commissioned officers and eighty-three warrant officers. On June 10 there were 1,440 commissioned officers in foreign service. In order to keep within the appropriation for foreign service it will be necessary to withdraw the troops from Germany, or make other adjustments which may mean inadequate military representation in foreign countries, unless the enlisted strength at home is materially reduced below 150,000. Many other items have been reduced so low that they will have to be compensated by money from other sources for their maintenance, and the taking from one and adding to another will continue until finally it will be absolutely necessary to allow the enlisted strength to lapse below the set standard of 150,000.

Two notices were issued to the Service on June 30 regarding the need for economy. The first of these specifically dealt with the appropriation "Transportation of the Army and its Supplies," which stated, among other things, that chiefs of branches and bureaus are personally responsible that expenditures do not exceed their appropriations. The second amendment stated that instructions and restrictions already in force as to transportation of personnel and supplies will be continued.

NATIONAL CEMETERIES RESOLUTION OPPOSED.

In response to a request from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs for his views, the Secretary of War has expressed his disapproval of S.J. Res. 65, proposing greater liberality of burial in national cemeteries, and calling for the compilation of a list of names of those now interred in them. The work involved in preparing the data would require additional employees, further Congressional appropriation, and six months' time. The proposal to widen the scope of classes for whom burial privileges in national cemeteries might be claimed, Mr. Weeks wrote, would have the effect of destroying the military significance of the cemeteries through permitting burial therein of an increased number of persons, with no Federal military service whatever, and would materially reduce the limited available space now required for burial of the World War officers and enlisted men. To accommodate all of those enumerated in this resolution would exhaust all available burial space and require the extension of the larger national cemeteries by the purchase of additional land which, in some cases, is not obtainable and would also require large appropriations for the purpose. Col. George H. Penrose, Q.M.C.,

in charge of the Cemeterial Division, Quartermaster General's Office, stated that the compilation of data pertaining to those now buried in national cemeteries would be a proper thing for the Cemeterial Division to do, but with the employees now engaged with the records overseas American dead it would be impracticable to prepare these extra lists at this time.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

Senate Action Delays Passage of Measure.

After the House of Representatives completed its action on the conference report on the Naval Appropriation bill on June 29 the measure was held up in the Senate on June 30 owing to objections made against the House reductions. In spite of an effort made by Senators Poinsett, Hale and Swenson, the Senate conferees, to hasten action on the bill by accepting all the House stipulations and presenting a report to that effect, no result was achieved since all the rest of the time of the session was occupied with discussion of the peace resolution. The principal items in the conference report to which the House objected were the appropriations for an airplane carrier, for building of authorized submarines in the 1916 program, and for beginning work on Pacific coast bases.

When the conference report was before the House on June 28 Representative Kelley explained that "the bill as it left the House carried in round numbers \$396,000,000. The Senate added, in round numbers, \$98,000,000, making the bill as it passed the Senate \$494,000,000. The conferees on the part of the House have agreed to two additions amounting to \$6,330,540, which, added to the \$396,000,000 carried in the House bill, makes a total of \$402,330,540, or about \$92,000,000 below the amount carried in the Senate bill. There are certain amendments which involved the expenditure of money and which the conferees on the part of the Senate informally agreed to, if the House should make the additions, which would make \$11,956,501 more. So that if all the propositions involving the expenditure of money which will be before the House under the items that are in disagreement should be added to the bill by the House itself the total of the bill would be \$414,287,000, which would be something over \$81,000,000 less than the Senate bill carries and about \$80,000,000 less than the expenditures for the current year."

In discussing the personnel features of the bill Mr. Kelley explained that "the bill as it now stands carries 100,000 men exclusively for the Navy and about 6,000 for aviation. The Marine Corps usually had one-fifth as many men as there were in the Navy, so we added a thousand men to the Marine Corps, keeping the percentage the same as had been maintained for a number of years." He added that the 6,000 men for aviation would carry enough for the radio operators. Mr. McKenzie said that he understood the basis for the enlisted personnel was founded on the tonnage of the Navy, but Mr. Kelley explained that it "was based on the number of ships which the Navy Department thinks necessary to be kept in commission plus the number required for other activities necessary to sustain the ships." Mr. McKenzie maintained that the "real basis, however, is tonnage, and the commissioned personnel in the Navy is based on the number of enlisted personnel. In other words, there is a certain percentage of commissioned personnel in each grade."

Mr. Kelley replied: "The gentleman is not quite correct. The officer force of the Navy is not based on the enlisted strength of the Navy, but on the authorized strength which is fixed by law. As I recall, that is 137,431. So that whether we have 100,000 or 105,000 in the Navy would not make any difference in the number of officers in the Navy, nor would it make any difference in the number of officers of any grade."

Failure to pass the Naval Appropriation bill on June 30 will make it necessary, following the usual procedure, for Congress to pass immediately a continuing resolution authorizing the extension for one month of the appropriations for the support of the Navy for the fiscal year which ended on June 30. Otherwise the Navy Department will enter upon the new fiscal year completely without funds.

A Lapse into Unpreparedness.

Chairman Kahn, of the House Committee on Military Affairs, in speaking of the cuts made by the House in the Navy bill said that they were another evidence of the tendency of the country to lapse into unpreparedness. He said: "I am a Westerner, and I look out over the Pacific Ocean. There I can see in the Far East the greatest of all preparation in naval equipment. Japan has under construction eight battleships, each carrying six 16-inch guns, besides ten or twelve 14-inch guns. These ships will be able to make a speed of twenty-six knots, while the fastest large ship we have under construction will be able to develop only twenty-two knots. Besides the eight battleships being built in Japan, England is building for Japan four more, which will make a total of twelve superdreadnoughts, besides eight fast cruisers. The action taken on the Naval Appropriation bill indicates our lapse into unpreparedness."

Representative Britten, ranking member of the House Committee on Naval Affairs said: "The best thing in the bill and the greatest accomplishment for the Navy, in my opinion, is the establishment of the Bureau of Aeronautics, which will bring co-ordination and efficiency out of the present chaotic and unsatisfactory conditions of aviation in the Navy Department, which has not been a success up to the present time. I would be deeply disappointed if Captain Moffett does not make a signal success of aviation as the first chief of the bureau."

House Passes Borah Naval Conference Amendment.

By a vote of 330 to 4, on June 29, the House passed the Borah amendment providing for a naval conference, this action being taken after a letter from President Harding was read to the House in which he stated he believed favorable action by Congress on a disarmament resolution was more important than the form of expression. The President added: "You may be sure that the Executive will be ready to give every consideration to such expression as the members of the two houses of Congress find themselves disposed to make." The Borah amendment provides: "That the President is authorized and requested to invite the governments of Great Britain and Japan to send representatives to a conference which shall be charged with the duty of promptly entering into an understanding or agreement by which the naval expenditures and building programs of said governments—the United States, Great Britain and Japan—shall be reduced annually during the next five years to such an extent and upon such terms as may be agreed upon,

which understanding or agreement is to be reported to the respective governments for approval."

THE SIXTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

The Peace Resolution.

The House of Representatives passed the peace resolution on June 30 by a vote of 263 to 59, and it was immediately sent to the Senate. This followed the action of the Senate and House conferees who came to an agreement on June 28, the Senate conferees accepting the Porter resolution as passed by the House as a substitute for the Knox resolution, and then the representatives of both sides agreed to add two new sections to the measure, dealing with enemy alien property now held by the Alien Property Custodian, and to make it clear that certain war-time laws and others of March, 1921, relating thereto, are not repealed. The resolution declares that the state of war existing between the Imperial German government and the Imperial and Royal Austro-Hungarian government "is hereby declared at an end." It also reserves to the United States and its nationals all rights to which they have become entitled under the armistice of Nov. 11, 1918, and under the Treaty of Versailles as one of the principal Allied or Associated Powers; and all similar rights under the armistice of Nov. 3, 1919, with Austria, the Treaty of St. Germain-au-Lape or the Treaty of Trianon. All enemy property that has come into the possession or control of the United States shall be retained until such times as the governments of Germany and Austro-Hungary, or their successors, shall have made suitable provision for the satisfaction of all claims.

Aerial Patrol of Sea Lanes.

Acting Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt has asked the House Committee on Naval Affairs to include in the Legislative Naval bill for 1922 a proviso "that naval aviation shall have cognizance of the aerial operations necessary to gain and exercise command of the sea and of such stations and craft as are necessary to insure adequate aerial patrol of sea lanes for these purposes." Under existing law dividing aerial responsibilities between the two Services, the Navy is not charged with keeping open the sea lanes for coastal shipping. This, says Mr. Roosevelt, "is an integral part of the Navy's duty and was the major work it performed in aviation during the late war. The Navy's development of aircraft is toward types that can perform this duty. In war time the Navy will have to and should do this work and the Army will not have suitable planes for it and, moreover, the Army will be occupied on its legitimate function, the land defense. It is extremely desirable as a matter of national policy that Congress fix responsibility by law for the defense of the United States in conformity with the approved plans of the War and Navy Departments as promulgated by the Joint Board."

Secretary Denby Opposes Chaplains' Bureau.

Secretary of the Navy Denby on June 9 addressed two communications to Representative Butler, chairman of the House Committee on Naval Affairs, one disapproving of H.R. 2494, to establish in the Navy Department a bureau to be known as the Chaplains' Bureau, and the other in approval of S. 153, which was later introduced in the House as H.R. 7160, to reorganize and increase the efficiency of the Corps of Chaplains in the Navy. In the first letter he directs attention to the fact that there are at the present time in the Navy ninety chaplains on active duty, eighty-six of these being of the permanent Navy and four of the temporary Navy. Of this number fifty-seven are on duty at sea and thirty-two on shore, while one is on waiting orders. These ninety chaplains hold rank in the various grades as follows: Fourteen permanent captains, two permanent commanders, thirty-seven permanent lieutenants, five permanent lieutenants (j.g.), twenty-eight acting chaplains as lieutenants (j.g.) and four temporary chaplains as temporary lieutenants. The Secretary adds that there are now on duty in the Bureau of Navigation two chaplains, one of whom is in the chaplain's division and the other in the morale division. In view of the limited number of chaplains in the Chaplains' Corps and the special nature of their duties it is considered that for the present these chaplains are sufficient for departmental administrative purposes. He continues that the addition of a chaplains' bureau would only add complexity to the department's organization through duplication of organization and effort. He also invites attention to the fact that the highest rank held by chaplains in the Army is that of major, except in the case of chief chaplain, who holds the rank of colonel. The proposed bill, in providing that the chief chaplain of the Navy shall have the rank of rear admiral, accords him a higher rank than that provided for the chief chaplain in the Army. Furthermore, the Secretary says, there are now fourteen chaplains on the active list of the Navy with the rank of captain. Under the present laws, he observes, this number of chaplains of the rank of captain is out of all proportion to the actual number of chaplains in the Navy. Secretary Denby asserts that the establishment of a chaplains' bureau is not considered necessary nor deemed advisable and therefore recommends that the bill be not enacted. Concerning S. 153 he says that under the provisions of the bill chaplains of the ranks of captain and below are provided on a percentage basis according to the total number of chaplains in the Navy, and thus the various grades and ranks can readily be adjusted on that basis, while the measure will give the chaplains the same opportunity for promotion as is provided for officers in the other staff corps in the Navy of corresponding amount of service. He expresses the hope that the bill will receive the favorable consideration of the committee.

Promotion for Injured Navy Officers.

The bill introduced by Senator Penrose on June 23 (S. 2134), which provides that the provisions of the Naval Appropriation act of Aug. 29, 1916, regarding the promotion of commanders and lieutenant commanders in the line, shall not restrict the promotion of such permanent officers as have been wounded in line of duty and who are now on the active list, and that such officers shall be entitled to the benefits of the provisions of Sec. 1494, Revised Statutes, and also of the benefits of the act of March 4, 1911, is regarded with favor in the line generally. The purpose of the bill is the same as that of the proviso in the act of July 11, 1919, in relation to captains in a similar status, which, according to an opinion of the J.A.G. of the Navy made it unnecessary for wounded captains to be selected for promotion for higher grades and directed that they should be promoted in accordance with seniority when they be-

came the senior officer in their grade and a vacancy occurred in the next higher grade; also waiving the age-in-grade retirement feature, and service and sea service in grade. The purpose of the Penrose bill is to secure the same privileges for wounded commanders and lieutenant commanders.

Legislative Notes.

Favorable reports were made in the House on June 24 on the bills (H.R. 7204) to provide a government-owned water service system for the Fort Monroe Military Reservation, and (H.R. 7105) to correct the status of certain enlisted men of the Navy and Naval Reserve Force.

The Senate on June 27 passed the bill (S.1032) authorizing "the Secretary of the Treasury to credit the account of Major Louis C. Wilson, Q.M.C., U.S.A., the sum of \$1,989.14, to be paid Lieut. Col. Francis M. Maddox, 4th Regt., Ala. N.G. Inf., for pay and services rendered from June 4, 1920, to Sept. 30, 1920, inclusive, together with commutation and longevity. He was detailed as assistant to the Chief of the Militia Bureau, but received no pay for such assignment for period set forth. The Secretary of War had rendered an opinion that he performed military duty in good faith under War Department orders which authorized the duty and his payment from Federal appropriations. There can be no doubt, the Secretary said, that there is a moral obligation on the part of the Government to pay for services rendered. Congress, in passing Sec. 81 of the act of June 3, 1916, intended to permit the use of National Guard officers as assistants to the Chief of the Militia Bureau. The construction placed upon the provision of law by the Comptroller has deprived Colonel Maddox of his just pay.

GENERAL SERVICE SCHOOLS GRADUATES.

The graduation exercises of the General Service School took place at Pope Hall, Fort Leavenworth, Kas., on June 28. The list of honor graduates is as follows:

Col. Charles B. Stone, Inf. Majors—Henry T. Burgin, C.A.C.; John D. Burnett, Edward Moran, Inf.; Joseph B. Davis, F.A.; Albert L. Rhoades, C.A.C.; Karl Truesdale, S.C.; C.A.C.; John D. Burnett, Edward J. Moran, Inf.; Joseph R. Clement H. Wright, Inf.

The distinguished graduates are:

Lieut. Cols.—Ira F. Flavel, A.S.; Herman Gade, Inf. Majors—Robert McC. Beck, Jr., Cav.; Jarvis J. Bain, C.E.; Alfred W. Elcor, Inf.; Donald C. Cushman, F.A.; Charles A. Hunt, Inf.; Samuel T. Mackall, Inf.; Henry M. Niles, C.A.C.; Robert R. Easton, C.E.; William F. Robinson, Inf.; F. Kersley Sterling, Cav.; Matthew H. Thomlinson, Inf.

The graduates are:

Cols.—Laurence C. Brown, E. B. Martindale, Jr., Edward Kimmel, C.A.C.; E. G. Peyton, C. F. Humphrey, Inf. Lieut. Cols.—Alfred S. Booth, C. C. Carson, R. W. Collins, C.A.C.; E. N. Cooke, F. L. Deane, C.A.C.; F. C. Doyle, G. R. Greene, E. W. Griffith, F.A.; Evan H. Humphrey, Cav.; Henry C. Jewett, C.E.; Morris M. Keck, Inf.; Roy C. Kirtland, A.S.; L. W. Oliver, Cav.; Howard C. Price, Walter L. Reed, Inf.; James P. Robinson, F.A.; John R. Slattery, C.E.; Emery T. Smith, F.A.; E. R. Stone, L. J. Van Schaick, Inf.; Harry C. Williams, F.A.; John W. Wright, Inf. Majors—Olan C. Aleshire, Cav.; Charles R. Alley, C.A.C.; Charles S. Bakely, F.A.; Walter O. Boswell, Inf.; Gerald C. Brandt, A.S.; Thomas W. Brown, Inf.; Otto L. Brunell, F.A.; Otis R. Cole, Hiram M. Cooper, Inf.; Thomas Duncan, A.S.; H. W. Fleet, B. E. Grey, Harry S. Grier, Edward J. Hooper, Inf.; Irvin L. Hunsacker, Cav.; Charles Keller, J. Frank Keller, Guy Kent, Cav.; Lewis Converse, Edward J. Hammond, Lowe A. McClure, Girard L. McEntee, Inf.; J. I. McKenney, C.A.C.; Irving M. Madison, Inf.; Ellis B. Miller, U.S.M.C.; William F. Morrison, F.A.; Edward M. Odley, Cav.; Thomas D. Osborn, F.A.; Hugh A. Parker, Robert J. Phinney, J. Jerome G. Pillow, Cav.; Wm. C. Powers, U.S.M.C.; Walter E. Prosser, S.C.; Leonard W. Prunty, Cav.; Robert S. Thomas, C.E.; Charles W. Tillotson, Inf.; Lewis Turtle, C.A.C.; John S. Upham, Richard Wetherill, Martin C. Wise, Inf.; Jacob W. S. Wood, A.S. Capt.—Eugene F. C. Collier, U.S.M.C.; Edward N. Robinson, F.A. (Arizona N.G.).

SAILINGS OF U.S. ARMY TRANSPORTS.

The following is the official tentative schedule of the sailings of Army transports on the Atlantic and Pacific:

New York—Antwerp.

	Leave N.Y.	Arrive Antwerp	Leave Antwerp	Arrive N.Y.
Wheaton	6/1	6/15	6/20	7/4
Somme	6/7	6/20	6/24	7/7
Cantigny	7/14	7/25	7/29	8/8
Wheaton	7/15	7/29	8/4	*8/18
Cantigny	8/25	9/5	9/9	9/19
Wheaton	8/30	9/13	9/19	*10/3
Cantigny	10/6	10/17	10/21	10/31
†Wheaton	10/15	10/29	11/4	*11/18
Cantigny	11/17	11/28	12/2	12/13
Cantigny	12/29	1/9	1/13	1/24

New York—Porto Rico—Panama.

	Leave N.Y.	Arrive S. Juan	Arrive Cristobal	Leave Cristobal	Arrive N.Y.
Cantigny	6/10	6/13	6/18	6/28	6/29
St. Mihiel	6/21	7/25	7/29	8/2	8/8
St. Mihiel	9/1	9/5	9/9	9/13	9/19
St. Mihiel	10/13	10/17	10/21	10/25	10/31
St. Mihiel	11/24	11/28	12/2	12/6	12/12

Pacific Transports.

	Leave S.F.	Due Honolulu	Due Guam	Due Manila	Leave S.F.	Due S.F.
Thomas	5/5	5/13	5/29	6/4	6/15	7/13
Logan	6/7	6/15	6/29	7/4	7/15	8/13
Buford	6/11	6/20	7/4	7/9	7/15	8/13
†Sherman	7/5	7/12	7/29	8/4	8/15	9/18
Buford	7/27	8/6	8/20	8/25	8/25	9/23
Thomas	8/5	8/13	8/29	9/4	9/15	10/13
Buford	9/1	9/10	9/24	9/29	9/29	10/27
Logan	9/6	9/14	9/30	10/5	10/15	11/13
Sherman	10/5	10/13	10/29	11/4	11/15	12/13
Buford	10/7	10/16	10/30	11/4	11/15	12/13
Thomas	11/5	11/13	11/29	12/4	12/15	1/13
Buford	11/12	11/21	12/5	12/10	12/15	1/13
Logan	12/6	12/14	12/30	1/5	1/15	2/13
Buford	12/20	12/29	1/12	1/17	1/17	2/13

Dix.....Sailed for Honolulu June 10. On return from Honolulu she will sail with full cargo for Manila about July 1.

Edgemoor...Sailed June 15 for New York. Due Panama June 30. Due New York July 10.

*Cargo only. †This trip of the Wheaton will be made only in case required by Graves Registration Service. ‡Via Tacoma. §Leave Tacoma 7/12.

Sailing of Transport Buford Delayed.

The sailing of the U.S. Army transport Buford from San Francisco to Honolulu has been delayed from July 18 to July 27.

NAVY'S PART IN PERU CENTENNIAL.

The U.S.S. Oklahoma and Arizona, of the U.S. Pacific Fleet, have been selected to go to the celebration of the centennial of Peru, to be held this month, according to announcement by Secretary Denby. Rear Admiral Hugh Rodman, U.S.N., commandant of the 5th Naval

District, has been appointed as the representative of the Navy in the American Commission which will attend the centennial ceremonies.

REPRIMAND FOR ADMIRAL SIMS.

Secretary Denby's Action on London Speech.

A prepared statement containing a public reprimand of Rear Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.N., was given out by Secretary of the Navy Denby on June 24, who added that so far as the Navy Department was concerned the incident was closed. The delivery to Admiral Sims by his aid, Capt. David F. Sellers, U.S.N., constituted the public reprimand, the Secretary said, notation of which was attached to the Admiral's record. Admiral Sims, he said, was to return to his post at Newport immediately and would continue on duty as president of the Naval War College.

The official statement given out by Secretary Denby opens with his letter of June 22 to Admiral Sims, calling attention to the reports in the public press of June 8 of the speech by Admiral Sims at the luncheon given by the English-Speaking Union in London on June 7, and gives the substance of the speech as it was quoted at the time. The Secretary also gives the text of his cablegram to Admiral Sims asking whether he had been correctly quoted and the text of the Admiral's reply, saying that the context of his speech as reported by the press was "misleading and garbled." The Secretary further notes that Admiral Sims was directed to report in writing as to what he actually said. Then follows the text of the reply sent by Admiral Sims, under date of June 23, in which he says that his speech at London was not a prepared one but "delivered from a few headings." He enclosed a copy of his speech which he prepared before he left London with the assistance of reports in the London papers and of Commander Land, assistant naval attaché, who was present when the speech was made. The essential incorrectness of the press reports of his speech, Admiral Sims states, was contained in the following paragraph as given in Secretary Denby's letter:

"We have a class of people on the other side who are technically Americans, some of them born there, some naturalized. They are at war against America to-day and at war against you. The simple truth is they have the blood of American and English boys on their hands."

Admiral Sims says:

"In no part of my speech did I make any such statement as that just quoted above. My reference was to the Sinn Fein faction of the Irish people who fought us during the war and to Sinn Feiners in America who assisted them to fight us during the war. The above will show the essential difference between the two statements."

He then quotes from the copy of his speech he prepared, in which he said:

"I have never hesitated to say that the Sinn Fein sympathizers in America, who helped the Sinn Feiners in Ireland to fight the Allies during the war, had the blood of English and American boys on their heads."

The Admiral further states:

"The above is the vital misquotation that was made on this side; and as far as I have been able to judge from the comment in the press, it is this misquotation which has naturally caused so much discussion. In connection with the above, I beg to invite attention to the fact that upon no occasion have I ever made any attack against the Irish people in Ireland or the Irish in America, though it is constantly stated in the press that I have done so. On the contrary, in everything that I have written on the subject, and in everything that I have said, I have taken particular pains specifically to state my admiration for the Irish people and their conduct toward my forces during the war. A reference to my book, 'The Victory at Sea,' will show the terms in which I referred to the kindly treatment we received from the Irish in Ireland."

"In the book above referred to, and as a matter of historical record, I stated the nature of the dangerous hostility of the Sinn Fein faction in Ireland and how much it cost the Allies in military effort to counteract them."

The Admiral adds that his action in reporting the hostility of the Sinn Fein faction was commended by the then Secretary of the Navy Daniels, in a letter to a gentleman in Philadelphia of which Mr. Daniels sent a copy to Admiral Sims.

Letter of Reprimand.

In Secretary Denby's statement there follows the transcript submitted by Admiral Sims giving the substance of his London speech. The statement closes with the Secretary of the Navy's official reprimand addressed to Admiral Sims under date of June 24, headed: "Subject: Reprimand." In this the Secretary says that the public statements attributed to Admiral Sims "if correctly reported dealt with matters which properly should be the subject for comment by no high governmental official other than one to whom the care of our foreign policy is entrusted."

The Admiral's abstract of his speech as delivered, the Secretary says, "confirms in essential points the aforesaid press reports and shows that on a public occasion in a foreign country" Admiral Sims gave utterance to the statements which the Secretary proceeds to quote, as follows:

"I do not want to touch on the Irish question, for I know nothing about it, and have not run across anybody in England who does. But there are some people in our country who technically are Americans, some of them naturalized and some native born; but some of them are not really Americans at all. Some of these people are now trying to destroy the good relations between our two countries. They are Americans when they want money but Sinn Feiners when on the platform. They are enemies of ours and yours. They are like the zebra—either white horses with black stripes or black horses with white stripes. We know that they are not horses and some people think they are asses; but each one of these asses had a vote and it is one of the inconveniences of a Republican form of Government that American born citizens thought it necessary to cater to these votes. This necessarily created a wrong impression on this side as to the sentiments of the great body of Americans, but the people of Great Britain know how much confidence to place in resolutions which are forced by these jackass votes."

"Eleven years ago I made a prophecy which came true. I will venture another now. I believe I shall live to see the day when the English-speaking peoples of the world will come together in bonds of comradeship; and if they do, they will be able to run this round globe. Personally, I believe I shall live to see an inter-English-speaking policy, and when we have that we shall have all that is needed to secure peace and prosperity in the world."

The Secretary's letter of reprimand concludes:

"The Department insists on maintaining both the precedent and the propriety which forbid a Government servant of your position discussing such matters in a foreign country. That the propriety of such public utterances has once before been brought to your attention is shown by the fact that a public reprimand was administered to you in 1911 for making the following statement in a public speech in London:

"If the time ever comes when the British Empire is seriously menaced by an external enemy, it is my opinion that you may count upon every man, every dollar, every drop of blood of your kindred across the sea."

"In the reprimand above mentioned the duties and respon-

sibilities of officers of the Navy who speak in public were clearly and fully set forth. Your remarks on the occasion now under discussion, therefore, constitute a flagrant and deliberate disregard of specific instructions. The Department is not unmindful of your record and achievements as an officer of the Navy, but the conspicuous position you now hold, coupled with the fact that you have previously offended in a similar manner, merely serves to add to the gravity of the present offense."

"The Department deprecates the fact that it is necessary to rebuke a flag officer in public, but you have made such action unavoidable. The Department expresses its strong and unqualified disapproval of your conduct in having again delivered a highly improper speech in a foreign country and you are hereby publicly reprimanded."

The commendation from Secretary Daniels referred to in Admiral Sims's letter of June 23 to the Secretary is contained in the report of the testimony on the awarding of medals in the Naval Service in a statement from Admiral Sims made Feb. 10, 1920, to the sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs. Secretary Daniels had sent a copy of a letter from George T. Sendel, of Philadelphia, a former enlisted man of the Navy, who wrote in confirmation of the Admiral's account in his book of the assault upon American sailors by Sinn Fein sympathizers in Cork. Secretary Daniels also sent to Admiral Sims a copy of his reply, in which he said: "The conduct of a certain element in Cork toward our sailors was most reprehensible and Admiral Sims does well to hold such conduct up to condemnation."

"Spilled the Beans and Got What Was Coming."

Secretary Denby's communication containing the reprimand was delivered to Admiral Sims at his hotel by the Secretary's aid, and at the same time was given to the public. Rear Admiral Sims shortly after receiving the official communication from Secretary Denby called on President Harding at the White House and then left for Newport. Upon leaving the President, Admiral Sims is quoted as saying to the newspaper correspondents:

"Having spilled the beans, I got what was coming to me. I am very sorry to have caused the Administration any inconvenience. I did not know my speech was loaded as much as it was. I am going back to Newport, and I guess I will stay there. Every time I leave Newport I seem to get into trouble."

He refused to discuss what took place during his conference with the President except to say that he had paid a courtesy call and found the President "very pleasant."

Rear Admiral Sims, with Mrs. Sims, arrived at Newport, R.I., June 25, to resume his duties as president of the Naval War College. The Admiral remarked to a representative of the Newport Daily News: "I hope now to settle down for a quiet time."

BOMBING EXERCISES WITH EX-IOWA.

Unofficial reports of the fleet exercises with the old battleship Iowa off the Virginia Capes on June 29 state that twenty planes manned by Navy and Marine Corps aviators dropped eighty bombs in fifty-seven separate attacks, making two hits on the forecabin of the radio-controlled target ship, the time taken for the completion of the exercise being three hours and nineteen minutes. The search for the ex-Iowa began at eight a.m., when the planes left the stations established at Lewes, Del.; Cape Charles, Cape Henry and Cape Hatteras. The Iowa was under her own power, without pilot or crew, but directed by radio from the U.S.S. Ohio. She was steaming at half speed, but during the test the speed was varied by the operator on the Ohio between three and nine and a half knots an hour, which, with the many changes of course executed, made it exceedingly difficult for the bombers to aim accurately. Great credit is due to Comdr. S. C. Hooper and Lieut. Comdr. Reilly O'Connor for their excellent manipulation of the radio controls on this the first real test of a radio-controlled battleship under anything like actual war conditions. They reported that out of one hundred radio orders or signals sent the Iowa one hundred were executed within five or six seconds, and that she responded to her rudder exceptionally well up to a fifteen degree turn.

It was fully two hours before the Army blimp D-2 spotted the Iowa and its consort of ships about sixty-five miles off Cape Henry, but within a few minutes the Army D-4 also appeared. The first of these airships was sighted from the U.S.S. Henderson at 9:57 a.m. and the second at 10:10 a.m. The blimps hovered over the ex-Iowa and then took photographs of the U.S.S. Pennsylvania, U.S.S. Nevada and the attending craft, including the U.S.S. Ohio, from which Capt. F. L. Chadwick, U.S.N., directed the movements of the target ship from a few miles astern.

"Both these airships," writes a correspondent who was aboard the U.S.S. Henderson, "endeavored in vain to raise the Shawmut, flagship of the Air Forces, with their radio telegraph and telephones, but their messages giving the location of the Iowa were intercepted by one of the F-5-L seaplanes well out at sea and relayed to the Shawmut. A little later the first airplane arrived on the scene and from then on the rest of the seaplanes began to appear; all told twenty aircraft took part in the bombing which commenced at 10:30 and continued until 1:30. The first bombs from the F boats dropped from 4,000 feet went wide of their mark and a number tumbled and wobbled badly, their spasms marking the spots where they fell. Gradually the marksmanship improved, however, and before the last salvo fell it appeared to the observers that had they been real bombs, men on the ships' decks would have been in danger indeed, and quite probably the impacts of the explosions would have injured the ships' plates, screws and rudders. Nine F-5-Ls, one NC boat, five Martin bombers and five DeHavilland land planes took part in the thirty-five aerial attacks. Several times the pilots had to hold their fire due to the changes in the course and speed of the Iowa. The F-5-Ls attacked singly, flying in a continuous line over the moving target directly into the wind until their four 163-pound bombs had been released. The only NC which reached the Iowa dropped her four 500-pound bombs singly without making an actual hit. The DH-4s, land planes flown by Marine Corps fliers, of which there were five comprising a single formation, flew well and dropped two 230-pound bombs each. The last attack of the day made by the five Martin bombers flown by Navy officers was the most spectacular, as these planes carried two 1,000-pound bombs each. They flew in excellent formation and their final salvo made a beautiful "pattern" around the Iowa, which brought praise from the many Army, Navy, Marine and foreign officers on board the U.S.S. Henderson and the other observation ships.

"While the whole test was pronounced most successful by many of the experts, especially as to the location of the target ship and the radio control of the Iowa, it

was pointed out by others that a real test under war conditions was yet to be devised wherein a ship would have some aerial protection, be navigated at full speed, in any weather, where explosive bombs might be used by the attack."

Vice Admiral H. P. Jones, U.S.N., was in charge of the exercise, on board the U.S.S. Pennsylvania. The exercise had originally been set for the preceding day, but a heavy fog caused its postponement. Admiral R. E. Coontz, Chief of Operations, was on board the U.S.S. Henderson on June 28, but was recalled to Washington that night by a radiogram and was taken ashore on board the U.S.S. Crowninshield.

MARINE CORPS TARGET PRACTICE.

Reports of target practice reaching Marine Corps headquarters show that during the month of May the riflemen of the corps are keeping up their record of high scores. The post team at Quantico won a victory over the U.S. Naval Academy team, 2,720 to 2,670 points, on May 14. The midshipmen made the higher score at 200 yards slow fire, putting up a score of 500 points against 498 by the marines. The marine riflemen then gained the lead and added fifty points to their score at rapid fire 200 yards, rapid fire 300 yards, and slow fire 600 yards. Machine Gun, Otho Wiggs set the high total, 235, and Midshipman Pratt was a close second with 231 points.

The Elliott trophy match, fired at Quantico on May 27, was won by the Parris Island team of marines with a score of 1,582. The Annapolis team was second with 1,561. Washington Navy Yard third with 1,558. Each man fired the Army qualification course, and two sight shots and ten shots for record at 1,000 yards. The San Diego trophy match, shot at Mare Island, Calif., May 18-19, was won by the marine barracks team from San Diego, scoring 1,475 points. Mare Island was second with 1,458. Puget Sound third with 1,443, and Pearl Harbor fourth with 1,438.

The gold medal winners of the division competitions held in April and June are as follows: West Indies—Rifle: Sergts. James C. Stafford, 638, and Edgar L. Rush, 637; pistol: 2d Lieut. Fred Lueders, 1,381, and Pvt. Dudley G. Fracker, 1,359. Eastern—Rifle: Pvt. S. A. Moraski 634, Capt. W. W. Ashurst 627, and Corpl. E. J. Miller 625; pistol: Capt. James T. Moore 1,402, and Dmr. E. W. Dembowski 1,391. Southeastern—Rifle: Q.M. Sergt. W. B. McNew 643, and Sergt. J. W. Coppens 635; pistol: 1st Sergt. Lewis A. Hohn 1,377. Western—Rifle: Sergts. Homer Jarvis 614, and Ralph W. Miller 607; pistol: Gun. Sergt. T. A. Ticken 1,451. Gun. Sergt. John M. Thomas, with 1,565 points, and 1st Lieut. William J. Whaling, with 1,512, outstripped all competitors in the pistol matches, but being distinguished marksmen they were, of course, not entitled to medals.

In the Marine Corps rifle and pistol competition at Quantico, May 25-26, the gold medal winners were as follows: Rifle—Corpl. James R. Tucker and Sergt. R. D. Luyster, both 647; pistol: Gun. Sergt. H. M. Bailey 1,478, gold. In this pistol match Gun. Sergt. John M. Thomas and 1st Lieut. William J. Whaling scored 1,541 and 1,490, respectively, but were not entitled to medals as they are distinguished marksmen.

The Lauchheimer trophy match, which was completed May 26, was won by Gun. Sergt. John M. Thomas, scoring 626 with rifle, 1,541 with pistol, which gives him the honor of being the individual shooting champion of the Marine Corps for the year 1921. Lieutenant Whaling was second and Gunnery Sergeant Toeken third, the contestants being awarded gold, silver and bronze medals, respectively.

Out of 1,894 officers and enlisted men of the Marine Corps who fired the Army course for qualification during April, 351 qualified as expert riflemen, 382 as sharpshooters, 864 as marksmen, a total of 1,597, or eighty-four per cent.

CHAMBERLAIN INQUIRY BEGUN.

The inquiry into the dismissal after court-martial of former Capt. Edmund G. Chamberlain, U.S.M.C., authorized by the Senate which approved a resolution submitted by Senator Sheppard of Texas, was begun before a sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs on June 25. Senator Ball of Maryland is chairman and the other members are Senators Nicholson of Colorado and Walsh of Montana. The Secretary of the Navy reported on the case, stating that in March, 1919, former Captain Chamberlain was brought to trial by g.e.m. at London, England, by order of the Commander, U.S. Naval Forces operating in European Waters, on the charges of "scandalous conduct tending to the destruction of good morals" and "falsehood." On one specification of the first charge he was found guilty and also of the second charge. The court sentenced him to be dismissed from the Service. The Commander, U.S.N.F. in European Waters, on May 19, 1919, approved the proceedings and sentence and referred the record to the Secretary of the Navy for transmission to the President. The department, on Oct. 31, 1919, approved the sentence and transmitted the record to the President with recommendation that sentence be confirmed. The President, on Jan. 31, 1921, confirmed the sentence and former Captain Chamberlain was accordingly dismissed from the U.S. Marine Corps.

Secretary Denby interposed no objection whatever to the resolution or the investigation. Following a statement by Major Seth Williams, U.S.M.C., counsel for Chamberlain, the committee decided that the hearings should be in executive session. Chairman Ball stated: "This is a Navy matter and until it is established that the Navy treated this officer justly I am of the opinion that the investigation should be conducted in executive session in accordance with custom." Major Williams stated investigation had convinced him of the truth of Captain Chamberlain's claims that while on a furlough visit to a British sector in July, 1918, he participated in an air battle in which he brought down five German planes, damaged two others and accomplished other unusual feats. Major Williams charged that former Captain Chamberlain had been accorded no opportunity to gather evidence to substantiate his story, the denial of which by British officers, he said, led Rear Admiral William S. Sims, then commander-in-chief of American Naval Forces in British waters, to order an inquiry. He stated that Capt. A. N. Proctor, U.S.N., was detailed to conduct a preliminary inquiry and became convinced that Captain Chamberlain was guilty of falsehood, deciding to recommend that testimony by the defense be dispensed with. It is stated that Chamberlain was heard at length by the sub-committee and made a good impression. He

declared he would be able to establish through evidence that he brought down the German planes supposed to be to his credit, and he is said to have produced at the hearing on June 25 two or three souvenirs of the defeated aircraft. The defense declares that several persons will testify that Chamberlain is the man to whom the victory was accredited soon after the reported air battles.

U.S. NAVY SUBMARINE ACTIVITIES.

U.S.S. Beaver, with submarines S-9 and S-14 to S-17, inclusive, arrived in the Canal Zone on June 23, under command of Capt. T. C. Hart, U.S.N. The craft will leave on July 5 for San Pedro, Calif.

Division 8, composed of submarines O-1 to O-10, inclusive, has completed a most satisfactory gun practice in Block Island Sound. The division is in command of Lieut. Comdr. James A. Crutchefield, U.S.N.

Special submarine squadron under command of Comdr. R. A. Koch, U.S.N., has assembled off Gloucester, Marblehead and Manchester, Mass., for summer exercises in Massachusetts Bay. The squadron submarine tenders Savannah, Bushnell, Fulton and Eagles 17 and 23, and submarines K-1 to K-8, O-1 to O-10, inclusive, T-1 and T-3 will operate in the bay until Sept. 1, when they will change scene of operations to the Southern Drill Grounds. Commander Koch is commanding Division 5; Comdr. Guy E. Davis, U.S.N., commanding Division 8, and Comdr. R. H. English, U.S.N., commanding Division 15.

Submarines O-11 to O-16, inclusive, with the U.S.S. Sciota, have returned to the Canal Zone from a month's cruise in the Southern Pacific, having visited Guayaquil and Callao, where many entertainments were provided for officers and men, and the submarines were objects of intense interest to the people. The division is in command of Lieut. Comdr. C. T. Hull, U.S.N.

The S-2, in command of Lieut. W. S. Popham, jr., U.S.N., will leave Portsmouth, N.H., shortly for San Pedro, Calif. The N-3, Lieut. J. P. Compton, U.S.N., commanding, has arrived at Toledo, Ohio, to be present at a convention of the Loyal Order of Moose. Division 12, Comdr. J. V. Ogan, U.S.N., commanding, has recently completed an inter-island cruise in Hawaii.

Lieut. Comdr. E. F. Cutts, U.S.N., has assumed the duties of submarine aviation detail officer in the Bureau of Navigation, relieving Lieut. Comdr. R. A. Burg, U.S.N., who has been ordered to Pensacola for aviation duty. Lieut. Comdr. E. D. McWhorter, U.S.N., has reported for duty in the Bureau of Engineering in connection with Diesel engines, relieving Lieut. Comdr. H. T. Smith, U.S.N., who has been ordered to the scout cruiser Omaha as engineer officer. Lieut. Comdr. J. D. Jones, U.S.N., recently in command of submarine T-2, has reported for duty in the Bureau of Engineering as relief for Lieut. Comdr. M. C. Bowman, U.S.N., who goes to the submarine base at Coco Solo, C.Z., as executive officer.

The third annual field day at the submarine base, New London, Conn., June 23, proved a success in every way, particularly in the athletic program. There were morning and afternoon track and field events and a baseball game between the base flotilla team and a team from Fort Slocum, N.Y., the prizes being medals and cups. Capt. Frank D. Berrien, U.S.N., is in command of the base.

RETAINER PAY OF NAVAL RESERVISTS.

The new system of payment of retainer pay of Naval Reservists became effective on July 1 and the Navy Department has issued a circular giving in detail the method of payment. In general payments to confirmed members of the N.R.F. will be made quarterly, from date of enrolment, except that payment to those who hold only provisional ranks or ratings will be made annually. All members of the N.R.F., except classes 1-c, 1-d and 3, are required to attend thirty-six drills or perform other equivalent duty during each enrolment for the year. Drills are based on the enrolment year; heretofore payments have been made on the fiscal year basis. Commandants of naval districts, subject to specific instructions, will be allowed to determine what may be credited as equivalent duty, except that officers of Class 5 must have at least fifteen hours of actual flight and members of Class 3 will be required to perform such duty as prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy; any naval duty without pay may be accepted by the commandant as equivalent to an appropriate number of drills. Specifications are given as to the proper return of vouchers and the utmost care must be preserved in preparing them, as discrepancies in names, dates, or ratings, will cause unnecessary correspondence and delayed payments. The two months' active service required for each term of enrolment, and which may be taken in periods of less than fifteen days, will not be prorated for the present, but credit may be assigned for such pay as accrues after it becomes apparent that the required duty cannot be performed prior to expiration of enrolment, provided some duty has been performed within the current enrolment year.

DEATH GRATUITY AND WAR RISK COMPENSATION.

Under a decision of June 21 the Comptroller states that "war risk compensation may be paid to otherwise compensable beneficiaries of persons who die in active service in the Regular Army, Regular Navy or Regular Marine Corps, in addition to the gratuity of six months' pay allowed to designated beneficiaries of such persons by the act of Dec. 17, 1919, for the Army, and the act of June 4, 1920, for the Navy."

HORSE AND MULE NOT YET DISCARDED.

Col. Frank S. Armstrong, Chief of the Remount Service, Q.M.C., says that the total number of horses and mules used by our Armies in the United States and in France during the war was 481,029. Between April 6, 1917, and Nov. 11, 1918, the Government bought 305,384 horses and mules for use in the Army in the United States and 175,635 in France. The maximum personnel on duty in the Remount Service in the U.S. on Nov. 11, 1918, was 337 officers, 13,224 enlisted men and 784 civilians. Overseas there were 493 officers, 14,598 enlisted men and five civilians, making a total of 830 officers, 27,822 enlisted men and 789 civilians engaged in the handling of horses and mules when hostilities ceased. There were thirty-nine remount depots in operation and under construction in the U.S., having a total capacity of 229,200 animals, and in France thirty-three depots either finished or under way with a capacity of 63,500, making enough space in remount depots

to provide for a total of 292,700 animals. Even at these figures it is said the A.E.F. did not have as many horses and mules as were needed. These statistics should convince any one that the horse is still a necessity in modern warfare. The gasoline tractor is a wonderful invention and an Army would be handicapped without it, but there are still many places where nothing seems to fit quite so well as the horse and mule.

NOTES OF NAVY PERSONNEL.

Rear Admiral J. S. Carpenter, Supply Corps, U.S.N., has recently been ordered to Washington to have charge of the Supply Corps School of Application just established.

Albert B. Lasker, chairman of the U.S. Shipping Board, in a statement concerning the difficulties in which the board finds itself partly as a result of the decline in the shipping industry, made public on June 24, is quoted as saying, among other things: "The U.S. Shipping Board to-day is the greatest commercial wreck the world ever knew. Rear Admiral Benson did remarkable work, standing almost alone, to keep the wreckage together as best he could. The trouble is that Admiral Benson was appointed chairman fifteen months ago and never was confirmed. He felt he had no authority to act, and single-handed he has been trying to hold up the most stupendous wreck in history."

Rear Admiral W. C. Braisted, U.S.N., retired, will resign from his disputed office as president of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy a few weeks before the next stated meeting of its members, Sept. 26, and then will be regularly elected, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger of June 28. That step, taken to perfect Admiral Braisted's right to office, was decided upon on June 27 at a meeting of the members of the college. It probably will result in discontinuing quo warranto proceedings testing the legality of Admiral Braisted's election instituted by members of the college, who insisted that the election was contrary to the by-laws of the college.

Resignations of Navy Officers.

Resignations of Navy officers approved by the Secretary in the week June 23-30 include: Comdr. J. C. Hillton, S.C.; Lieut. R. D. Elliott, Med. Corps; Ensigns J. S. Engs (T) and B. F. Merkle (T).

VARIOUS NAVAL ITEMS.

Navy Cautious to Economy.

Secretary Denby on June 30 approved G.O. No. 55, which cautions all in the Naval Service as to the need for economy because of decrease in appropriations. Cooperation is required from all grades of personnel, one paragraph placing the responsibility for waste upon enlisted men as well as the admiral or high official.

Work Begun on Columbia River Submarine Base.

Actual development work on the naval submarine and destroyer base, Columbia river, Oregon, was begun on June 10 when Lieut. Comdr. Gaylord Church, C.E.C., U.S.N., arrived at Portland, Ore., from New London, Conn., to take charge of construction. The first work to be done in the development of this base at Tongue Point is the surveying of the site, which will be done under Commander Church's direction. The appropriation for the base, which is the second on the Pacific coast, is \$250,000, and an effort will be made to have the base ready for actual use without exceeding the expenditure of that amount, although it is regarded as insufficient for developing it properly. The base will be designed to accommodate at least twelve submarines and the same number of destroyers. The Portland Oregonian announced that Commander Church will make his headquarters and home at Astoria.

MARINE CORPS NOTES.

Proposed Modification of Uniform.

The board on modification of Marine Corps uniforms, of which Major Gen. W. C. Neville, U.S.M.C., is president, has tentatively adopted the old full dress, mess jacket, and an overseas cap. Modification of the officers' overcoat was not decided upon. Samples of the modified uniforms and the cap are being made up and the changes will not be finally approved until the samples have been inspected.

Deliveries by Seaplane.

One of the submarine chasers attached to the 1st Provisional Brigade, U.S.M.C., at Port au Prince, Haiti, May 29, 1921, broke down at Aux Cayes, en route to San Domingo City, and it became necessary to take a motor part weighing over ninety pounds to that place. On account of the rainy season the roads were impassable and there being no landing field the package was finally delivered by a DH-4B plane piloted by 2d Lieut. Kenneth B. Collings with Gun Sergt. Guy B. Smith as observer, in the following manner. The motor part was boxed and the box wrapped in canvas and securely fastened. Then thirty feet of wire cable was attached, and to the end of the cable a five gallon oil can, which had been made airtight, was fastened. The plane first dropped a message to the sub-chaser stating how the package would be dropped and then dropped the package with attached buoy just offshore. The arrangement worked perfectly, the package sinking in about ten feet of water and the buoy marking the spot. The entire trip took three hours and thirty minutes flying time from Port au Prince.

Massachusetts Marines Keep Belleau Wood Day.

Under the auspices of the Massachusetts Marine Corps Association Belleau Wood Day was celebrated in Boston on June 18 by a military and civic parade and a pageant and athletic games in the Harvard Stadium. The parade was in six divisions, Col. George M. Van Doren, U.S.M.C., commandant of marines at the Boston Navy Yard, being the chief marshal. Service units included detachments of Regular soldiers, a battalion from the U.S.S. Utah, bands from Camp Devens, U.S.S. Utah, Coast Defenses of Boston and the Boston Navy Yard. The Massachusetts National Guard was represented by the 1st Squadron, Cavalry, and the Field Artillery. The U.S. Marine Corps had three floats in the parade, one representing a marine being judged by Neptune, another showing rifle practice, and a third bearing a replica nine feet high of the statue of a marine in overseas uniform entitled "Crusading for the Right." The proceeds of the games and the pageant are to be devoted to a fund for the erection of a U.S. Marine Corps memorial club house in Boston. Colonel Van Orden designed an unusually attractive program for the celebration, the illustrations being from engravers' cuts furnished by the Recruiting Bureau, while a description of the various countries where marines are serving and which appeared in the program, was compiled by Major

Edwin N. McClellan, historical officer of the Marine Corps.

COAST GUARD NOTES.

The Senate on June 20 confirmed the nomination of William H. Shea to be lieutenant commander, U.S. Coast Guard.

Lieut. Comdr. Robert Donohue is taking the course in aeronautical engineering at the U.S. Naval Academy.

Three enlisted men have been designated to take the examination for entrance to the Coast Guard Academy—Marvin J. Bergin, fireman, 3d class, Acushnet; H. E. Hamlen, surfman, Station No. 31, and Paul E. Warfield, yeoman, 2d class, Unalga.

Charles E. Pearson, chief boatswain's mate, was on June 18 retired on reaching the statutory age limit, and Charles J. Roode, chief boatswain's mate, was retired June 25 on completion of thirty years' service.

Sixty-six candidates were designated to take the examination for cadet and seven for cadet engineer, U.S. Coast Guard, up to June 23. The distribution of the candidates was country-wide, and in consequence Lieut. Comdr. F. W. Brown, U.S.C.G., was assigned as the sub-board to conduct the examinations at St. Louis, Mo., of candidates from the central portion of the United States.

The cadets and the officers and crew for the U.S.S. Vicksburg have been ordered to leave the U.S.S. Pyro at San Francisco and proceed by rail to Puget Sound Navy Yard to join that vessel, which will be brought to the east coast by the Coast Guard personnel.

Lieut. John F. Whiteley, U.S.A., Air Ser., has written a letter of appreciation to Coast Guard headquarters for assistance rendered by Coast Guard aviation station, Morehead City, N.C., which sent an airplane to his assistance when the Army flier became lost and landed out of gasoline and oil at Atlantic, N.C., on June 16. He especially praised Pilot Thrun and his mechanic.

Payments have been approved on the cutters under construction at Oakland, Calif., for the degree of completion as follows: Tampa, 70 per cent.; Haida, 65 per cent.; Nos. 28 and 30, 25 per cent.; No. 40, 15 per cent.

The cutter Yamacraw has relieved the Seneca on ice patrol, the latter cutter arriving at Halifax on June 21.

NAVY AND MARINE CORPS CONFIRMATIONS.

Nominations confirmed by the Senate June 29, 1921.

PROMOTIONS IN THE NAVY.

Passed asst. surgeons (T) to be p.a. surgs. in Navy (lieut.), rank Aug. 3, 1920, in accordance with act of June 4, 1920: W. R. Angel, G. G. Herman, D. P. Platt, A. H. Gaither, Franklyn C. Hill.

Passed asst. surgeons, U.S.N.R.F., to be p.a. surgs. in Navy (lieut.), rank Aug. 3, 1920, in accordance with act of June 4, 1920: M. O. Barrett, J. G. Smith, David O. Bowman, Vincent H. Usera.

MARINE CORPS.

All the nominations of June 20, 1921, which appeared on page 1160, our issue of June 25, and the following: Eric A. Johnston to be a first lieut. from June 4, 1920.

VESSELS OF THE U.S. NAVY.

We omit the table of vessels of the U.S. Navy this week, but give below the changes in the location of vessels since the complete list was published in our issue of June 25, pages 1160-61:

Abbott. Sailed from Key West to sea June 28.
Albany. Woosung, China.
Alden. Broome, Chandler, Elliot, Greer, Hovey, Lea, Long, Southard, Tarbell, Upshur and Yarnall. Sailed from Shanghai for Chefoo, China, June 28.
Anthony. Baltimore, Ludlow, Sproston, Pearl Harbor, H.T. Arethusa. Sailed from Hampton Roads for Yoktown June 29.
Aroostook. Sailed from Santa Barbara for Monterey June 27.
Asheville. Norfolk, Va.
Badger. En route to San Diego, Calif.
Barker. Borie, John D. Edwards, Smith-Thompson, Tracy, Whipple. En route to Manila.
Barney. On Southern Drill Grounds.
Barry and Billingsley. Arrived at Jacksonville June 29.
Beaufort. Sailed from Hampton Roads for Guantanamo June 28.
Biddle. Arrived at New Haven, Conn., June 28.
Birmingham. Mare Island, Calif.
Branch. Herndon, Upshur, Geo. E. Badger, Hunt, Welborn C. Wood. Lynnhaven Roads, Va.
Breckinridge. New Haven, Conn.
Brooks. Gamble, Lamberton, Montgomery, Mississippi, Idaho, Radford and Ramsey. Arrived at Santa Cruz, Calif., June 27.
Brooks. Arrived at Constantinople June 24.
Bruce. Wickes, Zeilin, Evans, Buchanan, San Francisco.
Bulmer. Edsall, MacLeish, McCormick, Parrott, Simpson, San Diego, Calif.
Burns. San Francisco, Calif.
Burns and Buffalo. Arrived at Mare Island June 27.
Caldwell. Craven, Connor. Newport, R.I.
Caesar. Norfolk, Va.
Charleston. New Mexico, Mercy and Tennessee. Arrived at Monterey, Calif., June 27.
Charles Ausburne. Newport, R.I.
Chewink. Sailed from Norfolk for Newport June 28.
Childs. Arrived at Cherbourg June 28.
Connecticut. Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, South Carolina, Christiania, Norway.
Conyngham. Charleston, S.C.
Crowninshield. Arrived at Washington, D.C., June 29.
Dallas. Hopkins, Lawrence and Paul Jones. Sailed from Newport for Jacksonville, Fla., June 27.
De Long. Arrived at San Pedro June 26.
Dent. Mare Island, Calif.
Dorsey. Sailed from San Pedro for Bremerton June 28.
Doyen. Herndon, Meyer. San Francisco, Calif.
Farquhar. Kennedy, Paul Hamilton, Reno, Stoddert, Thompson. San Francisco, Calif.
Ford. Pillsbury, Peary, Stewart, Truxtun. Lynnhaven Roads, Va.
Glacier. Sailed from San Pedro June 28 for San Diego.
Gulport. En route to Hampton Roads, Va.
Gwin. Manley, Stockton. Newport, R.I.
Hazelwood. San Pedro, Calif.
Helena. Hongkong, China.
Howard. San Diego, Calif.
Humphreys. Arrived at Constantinople June 24.
J. F. Burnes. San Pedro, Calif.
Kalk. Nantucket, Mass.
Kane. Arrived at Venice June 26.
Kittery. In West Indian waters.
Mahanna. Guantanamo.
Maury. Newport, R.I.
McFarland. Sailed from Pola for Venice June 24.
Mercy. Santa Barbara.
Monocacy. Arrived at Nanking June 22.
Neches. Hampton Roads, Va.
Neptune. En route to Balboa.
Nereus. Christiania, Norway.
New Mexico. Idaho, Mississippi. Santa Barbara, Calif.
New York. En route to Honolulu.
Nicholas. S. P. Lee, Woodbury, Young. San Pedro, Calif.
Niagara. New York.
Nitro. Hampton Roads, Va.
Nos. Hulbert. En route to Southern Drill Grounds.
Ohio and Quail. Arrived at Delaware Breakwater June 30.
Osmund Ingram and Rodgers. Newport, R.I.
Paducah. Portsmouth, N.H.
Pennsylvania. Florida, Olympia, Bridge, Culgoa and Relief. Sailed from Lynnhaven Roads for New York June 29.
Pigeon. Pearl Harbor, H.T.
Pope and Pruitt. Arrived at New Haven June 28.
Quincy. En route to Hampton Roads from Brew.

Rappahannock. New York, N.Y.

St. Albans. Arrived at Bremerton June 25.
Roper. Sailed from San Diego for San Francisco June 25.
Salem. Sailed from San Diego for California City June 28.
San Francisco. Gloster, Mass.
Sapelo. Cherbourg, France.
Saturn. Arrived at Bremerton June 28.
Stansberry. San Diego, Calif.
Talbot. Arrived at Mare Island June 26.
Tennessee. Santa Barbara, Calif.
Texas. Sailed from San Francisco for Tacoma June 28.
Trinity. Sailed from Hampton Roads for Fall River June 29.
Waters. Arrived at Bremerton June 27.
William Jones. San Diego, Calif.
Wilmington. Sailed from Ichang for Hankow June 27.
William B. Preston sailed from Hampton Roads for New York June 29.
Williams. Arrived at Samsun June 22.
Worden. Hudson River, New York city.
Zane. Arrived at Mare Island June 28.

THE NAVY.

Commander-in-Chief—Warren G. Harding, President.
Secretary of the Navy—Edwin Denby.
Assistant Secretary of the Navy—Theodore Roosevelt, jr.

NAVY GAZETTE.

Orders to Officers June 22, 1921.

Ensign W. W. Behrens to duty U.S.S. Gwin.
Ensign P. W. Darnell to duty U.S.S. Ramapo.
Lieut. (j.g.) D. K. Day to duty U.S.S. Oklahoma.
Lieut. C. E. Denny to U.S.S. Sacramento.
Rear Admiral E. W. Eberle to U.S.S. New Mexico as Commander-in-Chief Pacific Fleet, July 5.
Rear Admiral E. E. Johnson to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Langley and on board when commissioned.
Vice Admiral H. P. Jones to U.S.S. Pennsylvania as Commander-in-Chief Atlantic Fleet.
Ensign W. L. Long to duty U.S.S. Cuyama.
Rear Admiral J. D. McDonald to U.S.S. Arizona command Battleship Force Atlantic Fleet.
Capt. E. E. Nelson to navy yard, Boston, Mass.
Ensign W. A. Nelson to U.S.S. Turkey.
Lieut. J. W. Quackenbush to conn. f.o. U.S.S. S-21 and on board when commissioned.
Admiral H. Rodman to Commandant 5th Naval District.
Rear Admiral A. H. Scales to U.S.S. Florida command Battleship Division Seven, Atlantic Fleet.
Rear Admiral W. R. Shoemaker to U.S.S. Texas as Commander Battleship Force, Pacific Fleet.
Lieut. (j.g.) D. J. Spahr to command U.S.S. Pinola.
Lieut. H. S. Sumerlin (Med. C.) to duty Navy Hospital, San Diego, Calif.
Comdr. E. W. Tod to U.S.S. New Mexico as Navigator.
Lieut. Comdr. C. G. West to Officer-in-Charge Navy Recruiting Station, Dallas, Texas.
Vice Admiral C. S. Williams to duty Naval Operations, Navy Dept., reporting Aug. 1.
Ensign J. W. Williams to duty U.S.S. L-10.
Lieut. Comdr. P. T. Wright to conn. f.o. U.S.S. S-19 and in command when commissioned.
Ensign G. P. Hegleson (C1-3) to duty U.S.S. Bath.

Orders to Officers June 23, 1921.

Lieut. (j.g.) S. L. Bates (Sup. C.) to Sup. Offr. Destroyer Division 19, Destroyer Force, Atlantic Fleet.
Lieut. S. E. Brewer to duty U.S.S. New Mexico.
Lieut. Comdr. R. A. Burg to duty under instruction in aviation Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.
Capt. J. G. Church to duty 11th Naval District.
Ensign C. P. Crankshaw to duty U.S.S. Ramapo.
Ensign M. M. Dupre, jr., to Destroyer Force, Atlantic Fleet, for assignment.
Comdr. B. Dutton to Aid on Staff and Flag Secretary Commander-in-Chief Atlantic Fleet.
Lieut. J. E. Fadden to duty U.S.S. Henderson.
Lieut. Comdr. P. F. Foster to duty Navy Recruiting Bureau, New York, N.Y.
Lieut. J. P. Greer to duty R.S., Portsmouth, N.H.
Lieut. Comdr. D. Hamilton to Aid on Staff Commandant 1st Naval District.
Ensign J. A. Hesse (Sup. C.) to duty R. Barracks, Hampton Roads, Va.
Lieut. W. T. Hopkins (Sup. C.) to duty attendance session of Supply Officers' School of Application, Navy Dept.
Comdr. J. R. Hornberger to Navy Supply Station, Hampton Roads, Va.
Ensign H. Loewy to duty U.S.S. Maddox.
Lieut. (j.g.) E. F. Manning to navy yard, Portsmouth, N.H.
Ensign C. H. Masters to U.S.S. Kittery.
Lieut. (j.g.) G. V. Morey to duty R.S., Boston.
Lieut. D. H. Nicholson to duty Santa Domingo.
Lieut. (j.g.) L. A. Puckett (Sup. C.) to attendance session Supply Officers' School of Application, Navy Dept.
Lieut. J. H. Sprague to command U.S.S. O-7.
Comdr. R. A. Spruance to duty Bureau of Engineering, Navy Dept.
Ensign P. R. Sterling to continue duty U.S.S. Sigourney.
Lieut. Comdr. C. D. Swain to duty Assistant Morale Offr. 1st Naval District.
Lieut. R. W. Swearingen to Supply Offr. U.S.S. Camden.
Lieut. Comdr. A. P. H. Tawres to Aid on Staff Commander-in-Chief Pacific Fleet, reporting July 5.
Lieut. Comdr. N. R. Van der Veer to course instruction Naval War College, Newport, R.I.
Lieut. E. D. Walbridge to duty U.S.S. Crowninshield.
Lieut. Comdr. E. F. Zenke to duty Board of Insp. and Survey, Navy Dept., Washington, D.C.
Ensign B. Dunham (C1-2) to duty U.S.S. Eagle 33.
Ensign C. M. Garrison (C1-2) (Sup. C.) to Supply Offr. Div. 14, Destroyer Force, Pacific Fleet.
Lieut. A. B. Robinson (C1-3) to U.S.S. Beaufort as Engr. Offr.

Orders to Officers June 24, 1921.

Lieut. J. H. Brooks (Chap.C.) to duty U.S.S. Utah.
Lieut. A. H. Eddins (Sup.C.) to Sup. Officer, Naval Sta., Key West, Fla.
Lieut. C. C. Groff (Med.C.) to duty Santa Domingo.
Lieut. L. Herndon to command U.S.S. R-11.
Ens. W. B. Jackson to Destroyer Force, Atlantic Fleet.
Comdr. R. Jacobs to command U.S.S. Schenck.
Lieut. B. S. Killmaster to command U.S.S. S-8.
Lieut. Comdr. T. S. King to aid on Staff Comdr.-in-Chief, Pacific Fleet.
Lieut. Comdr. R. M. Lhamon (Med.C.) to duty U.S.S. Rappahannock.
Comdr. C. C. Moses to command U.S.S. Hancock.
Capt. W. V. Pratt to member General Board, Washington.
Comdr. J. P. Townsend to U.S.S. Nevada as exec. off.
Lieut. (j.g.) H. E. Wickham (Sup.C.) to U.S.S. Utah as Asst. to Sup. Off.
Ens. J. D. Wilson to duty navy yard, Philadelphia.
Admiral H. B. Wilson to Superintendent Naval Academy, Annapolis.
Lieut. P. R. Weaver to command U.S.S. T-1.
Lieut. (j.g.) J. D. G. Wogum (Sup.C.) to U.S.S. Savannah as Asst. to Sup. Off.
Lieut. R. S. Wyman to Div. Radio Offr., Battleship Div. Six, Pacific Fleet.

Notes.—Act. Pay Clerk R. O. Williams (ret.) died Buffalo, N.Y., May 3, 1921. Chief Bsn. F. C. Waterson died Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., June 6, 1921.

Orders to Officers June 25, 1921.

Comdr. W. Berthoff to course instruction, Naval War College, Newport.
Lieut. (j.g.) V. Carroll (Sup.C.) to duty navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.
Capt. C. M. DeValin (Med.C.) to command Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill.
Capt. W. C. Du Bose (Con.C.) to manager, navy yard, Portsmouth, N.H.
Capt. B. Dungan to manager, navy yard, Boston, Mass.
Ens. C. Y. Dyer to duty U.S.S. Rappahannock.
Comdr. J. E. Gill (Med.C.) to duty Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill.

Ens. W. D. Hodges to Destroyer Force, Atlantic Fleet.
Capt. B. F. Hutchinson to Chief of Staff, C-in-C, Pacific Fleet.
Lieut. Comdr. J. C. Jones to U.S.S. Florida as Asst. Fire Control Offr.
Ens. C. R. Klonan to conn. f.o. U.S.S. California and on board when commd.
Lieut. Comdr. H. Knauss to command U.S.S. Cassin.
Lieut. (j.g.) C. L. Lewis to U.S.S. Chicago.
Lieut. H. McCoy (Med.C.) to receiving barracks, Hampton Roads, Va.
Lieut. Comdr. J. F. Meigs to U.S.S. San Francisco as exec. off.
Ens. B. F. Merkle to U.S.S. Arethusa.
Lieut. R. E. Miller (Chap.C.) to duty Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.
Bsn. H. F. Peterson to duty U.S.S. Rail.
Lieut. R. Poole to U.S.S. Nevada.
Capt. C. E. Riggs (Med.C.) to aid on Staff, C-in-C, Atlantic Fleet.
Capt. G. H. Rock (Con.C.) to manager, navy yard, Norfolk.
Ens. J. J. McCann (C1-3) to U.S.S. Rappahannock.
Lieut. Lee A. Van Matre (C1-3) to U.S.S. Caesar as exec. off.

Orders to Officers June 28, 1921.

Capt. G. L. Angeny (Med.C.) to command Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla.
Lieut. Comdr. C. L. Beeching (Med.C.) to duty Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla.
Lieut. V. V. M. Boggs (Sup.C.) to Bu. Supplies and Accounts, Navy Dept., Wash.
Comdr. R. M. Brainard to duty Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Dept.
Chief Mach. B. K. Brown to duty U.S.S. Tennessee.
Rear Admiral H. F. Bryan to Commandant 8th Naval District.
Lieut. H. P. Burnett to Comdr. Destroyer Force, Pacific Fleet.
Rear Admiral G. H. Burrag to command Destroyer Force, Pacific Fleet.
Capt. A. Greshaw to course of instruction, Naval War College, Newport, R.I.
Ens. W. J. Daly to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Langley and on board when commd.
Capt. J. B. Dennis to duty navy yard, Portsmouth, N.H.
Rear Admiral H. A. Field to member Board of Inspection and Survey, Pacific Coast, San Francisco.
Lieut. Comdr. E. S. Field to duty R.S., New York, N.Y.
Gun. J. C. Fields to duty 1st Naval Dist.
Lieut. (j.g.) C. S. Forrest (Sup.C.) to Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Dept., Washington.
Lieut. J. Gallagher to duty navy yard, Norfolk, Va.
Lieut. R. F. Hane to duty Naval Academy, Annapolis.
Pharm. E. W. Hawkins to U.S.S. Mercy.
Lieut. I. V. Horin to aid on Staff and Flag Secretary, Comdr. Destroyer Force, Pacific Fleet.
Lieut. O. O. Keating to U.S.S. Pittsburgh as first lieutenant.
Lieut. Comdr. J. A. Logan to aid on Staff Comdr. Battleship Force, Pacific Fleet.
Rear Admiral A. T. Long to Chief of Staff, Comdr.-in-Chief Atlantic Fleet.
Ens. T. A. McDonald to duty U.S.S. Arethusa.
Ens. R. B. Miller to Asiatic Station.
Lieut. (j.g.) J. M. Mixon (Sup.C.) to Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Dept.
Lieut. E. Murphy to duty R.S., Boston, Mass.
Comdr. C. T. Osburn to duty Nav. Operations, Navy Dept., Washington.
Ens. R. Parrott to duty Naval Training Sta., Newport.
Comdr. G. C. Pegram to aid on Staff and Flag Secretary, C-in-C, Pacific Fleet.
Ensign C. R. Pratt to Destroyer Force, Pacific Fleet.
Gun. B. J. Reynolds to duty U.S.S. Rochester.
Ensign A. H. Richter (Sup. C.) to Assistant to Supply Officer U.S.S. Reina Mercedes.
Lieut. E. B. Robinson to duty navy yard, Boston, Mass.
Comdr. S. M. Robinson to duty Bureau Engineering, Navy Dept., Washington.
Ensign W. O. Reonick to U.S.S. Jason.
Lieut. R. C. Rowe (Med. C.) to duty Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md.
Capt. O. Shackford to course instruction Naval War College, Newport, R.I.
Capt. G. T. Smith (Med. C.) to member Board Medical Examiners and Naval Examining Board, Navy Dept.
Lieut. B. F. Stand to duty U.S.S. Idaho.
Capt. W. H. Standley to Assistant Chief of Staff Commander-in-Chief Pacific Fleet.
Capt. W. T. Tarrant to course instruction Naval War College, Newport.
Lieut. P. U. Tevis to duty Naval Forces Operating in European waters.
Comdr. L. P. Thimault to conn. f.o. U.S.S. California and on board as Navigator when commissioned.
Capt. F. B. Upham to Naval Intelligence, Navy Dept.
Ensign A. M. Van Eaton to U.S.S. Kanawha.
Capt. C. T. Vogelgesang to Commandant navy yard, New York, N.Y.
Ensign R. A. Vollbrecht (Sup. C.) to Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Dept., Washington, D.C.
Lieut. Comdr. R. S. Wentworth to Aid to Comdr. Battleship Division Seven, Atlantic Fleet.
Lieut. C. S. Wolf to duty navy yard, New York.
Lieut. C. W. Emory (C1-3) to duty R.S., Philadelphia.
Lieut. Comdr. A. H. George (C1-3) to duty R.S., San Francisco.
Lieut. M. C. Katz (C1-3) to U.S.S. Culgoa.
Pay Clerk O. H. Weyel (C1-3) to Naval Air Station, Rockaway Beach, Long Island, N.Y.
Note.—No list published under date of June 27, 1921.

MARINE CORPS GAZETTE.

JUNE 24—Capt. W. B. Sullivan detached U.S.S. Idaho; to M.B. Quantico, Va.
Second Lieut. A. A. Kuhlman honorably discharged from the M.C.R.
Major E. P. Fortson to M.B., N.B., San Diego, Calif.
JUNE 25—Col. J. F. McGill to M.B., N.B., San Diego, Calif.
Lieut. Col. J. T. Buttrick to U.S.S. New Mexico as Fleet Marine Officer, Pacific Fleet, and as aid on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief.
Lieut. Col. L. McC. Little to Naval War College, Newport.
Major R. Tittoni to Hqs. Marine Corps, Washington.
Major H. F. Wirgman to M.B. Quantico, Va.
Capt. N. S. Hinman resignation accepted June 30, 1921.
First Lieut. L. S. Swindler to M.B., navy yard, Portsmouth, N.H., for further assignment to the Naval Prison Detachment.
JUNE 27—First Lieut. R. C. Kilmartin to 2d Brig., Santo Domingo, D.R.
First Lieut. L. H. Pryor honorably discharged from U.S.M.C. June 25, 1921.
JUNE 28—Lieut. Col. E. T. Fryer to M.B., Quantico, Va.
Major E. B. Miller to M.B. Quantico, Va.
Capt. D. E. Nimmer detailed as Asst. Q.M.
Capt. W. W. Walker to temporary duty foreign shore service (Europe) with U.S. Rifle and Pistol Team.
Q.M. Clerk P. S. Sharpe to Quantico, Va.
JUNE 29—Major E. A. Ostermann orders dated June 17, 1921, revoked.
Capt. W. J. Flanagan honorably discharged from U.S.M.C.
First Lieut. E. C. Hersman to M.B. Quantico, Va.
First Lieut. G. C. Moore to M.B. Quantico, Va.
Second Lieut. C. Connette from Haiti to U.S.
JUNE 30—Brig. Gen. G. G. Long and 2d Lieut. J. N. Frisbie, Santo Domingo to U.S. Arizona as Division Marine Officer, and aid on Staff Division Commander.
First Lieut. D. G. Oglesby, Santo Domingo to M.B., N.P.G., Indian Head, Md.
First Lieut. J. M. Pearce to Marine Detachment, Naval Prison, Portsmouth, N.H.
Pay Clerk H. J. Crall appointment as pay clerk revoked, June 30.
First Lieut. F. R. Armistead to N.T.S., Keyport, Wash.
First Lieut. G. A. Palmbeck to M.B., N.Y.d., Puget Sound, Wash.
Second Lieut. L. E. Marie to M.B., N.B., San Diego, Calif.

COAST GUARD GAZETTE.

JUNE 24—Lieut. Comdr. (E) O. E. Sugden detached Headquarters, assigned Mazing.
Lieut. Comdr. O. O. von Paulsen detached Aviation Station, assigned Oatlee.

AMERICAN FORCES IN GERMANY.

Major Gen. Henry T. Allen, commanding the A.F. in G., made an inspection of the casual depot at Falkenstein on May 18, accompanied by Lieut. Col. W. W. McCammon, headquarters commandant; Lieut. W. McK. Dunn, aid to General Allen; Mrs. Allen; and Mr. M. W. Thacker, American Consul General at Paris. The depot is now occupied by enlisted men of the Army and their wives and children who are to return to the U.S. and a period of quarantine has been instituted to save delay at the home port. The wives and children are furnished with hospital cots and cribs, special meals are prepared for them, the 6th Field Artillery band gives an afternoon concert daily and there are movies every evening. There were 169 wives and eighty-four children there on May 18, according to the Amaroc News.

In accordance with a War Department cablegram received on May 13 Col. William H. Hay assumed the duties of chief of staff of the A.F. in G. on the following day, relieving Col. William H. Johnston. Colonel Hay is transferred from the I.G. Department to the General Staff, effective as of May 9. Colonel Johnston, it is understood, will take advantage of a leave to France before reporting for new assignment.

Lieuts. Byron T. Ippock, William Mayer and Moses W. Pettigrew, U.S.A., who have been on duty in the Philippines and are returning to the U.S., arrived at Coblenz on May 29. They left Manila on March 20. They came by way of Hong Kong, Singapore, Cairo, Rome and Paris, and expected to remain until the sailing of a June transport. Lieut. Robert S. Williams, who is on duty at Paris with the Graves Registration Service, and Mrs. Williams, and Lieut. Mortimer B. Birdseye, military attaché at the American Embassy, Paris, arrived in Coblenz for a visit on May 29. Princess de Radziwill also arrived from the French capital and was a guest of Major and Mrs. John K. Herr. Col. and Mrs. L. Mervin Maus arrived from Washington on May 26 on their way to Paris and visited Col. and Mrs. E. A. Fry. Col. and Mrs. Maus expect to remain in Europe several months, dividing their time between France, England and Scotland.

The 2d Battalion, 6th Field Art., on May 31 celebrated the fourteenth anniversary of the organization of the regiment. All units were served with a special dinner while the officers and ladies observed the event with a battalion dinner. The regiment, with the 1st Engineers, is looking forward to the early presentation of the fourragere by the French government. Fire threatened the destruction, on May 27, of the historic old castle, Engers Schloss, headquarters of the 2d Brigade M.G. Training Center and also occupied by Cos. D of the 5th. and D of the 50th Infantry. The fire was extinguished before great damage was done through the efforts of Major C. S. Stokely, Capt. Julian Hart and H. Haney, Lieut. R. A. Case and a number of enlisted men. The Schloss is a former German war college.

Major General Allen, Col. William H. Johnston Lieut. Col. J. M. Burroughs, Major George M. Peek and a number of other officers, with their ladies, attended the elimination horse show of the 2d Battalion, 6th Field Art., on May 27, when Battery E won more events than any other unit. The contest was in anticipation of the A.F. in G. horse show to be held at Coblenz on June 9 and 10.

Gen. and Mrs. Allen were guests of honor at a dinner given at the Casino, Coblenz, on May 24 by Major and Mrs. Clifford L. Corbin. On the preceding evening Col. William H. Johnston was host to about fifty officers and their ladies at a dinner given at the Officers' Club, Coblenz. On the evening before Major and Mrs. Ralph Talbott, Jr., were hosts to a number of officers and ladies of the garrison at a dinner given at the same club.

A tennis tournament on the Coblenz courts on May 16 Capt. E. W. Timberlake, C.A.C., defeated Sergeant Strauss, Hqs. Troop, 6-1, 6-4; Major James K. Crain, Ord. Dept., won over Pvt. J. Delaney by default; and Corpl. B. King, Intelligence Section, G.S., beat Capt. F. F. Reed, Hqs. Motor Command 24, by 6-3, 4-6, 6-3. In the semi-final round in the Novice Tennis Tournament at Island Field on May 17 Major Crain beat Captain Timberlake in one of the hardest fought games, scores being 4-6, 7-5, 6-1. On May 18 Corporal King won the final round, defeating Major Crain, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2. In the semi-final of the singles tournament at Andernach on May 19 Lieut. Col. Allen J. Greer, Inf., won from Sergeant Kearney in two straight sets, 6-4 and 6-3.

With a total of 130 points for the season, Co. D, 50th Inf., Capt. C. H. Owens commanding, won the athletic mass games cup for the 1921 season of the 2d Brigade M.G. Training Center, at Engers. The schedule consisting of every branch of sport included boxing, volleyball, and soccer. The final standing of the companies is as follows: Co. D, 5th Inf., 130; Co. M, 5th Inf., 97.5; Co. D, 5th Inf., 95; Co. H, 5th Inf., 95; Co. H, 50th Inf., 52.5; Co. M, 50th Inf., 40.

The fifty kilometer relay race from Cochem to Coblenz (approximately thirty-one miles), run on June 19 by ten teams from different organizations of the A.F. in G., was won by the team from the 8th Infantry. The Headquarters Detachment team was second and the 50th Infantry team took third place. The time of the winning team was 2 hours 55 minutes and 22 seconds. Each team was composed of fifty men, one of whom was required to swim the Moselle river near Coblenz.

CANDIDATES, U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY.

The following candidates for appointment to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point were designated during the week ending June 20 to submit an educational certificate with a view to admission on July 1, 1921, without mental examination, it being too late to hold another such examination this year:

Aabama—10th Div., Cecil C. Armstrong, Vernon.
Minnesota—2d Dist., Michael Dunn, 1st Alt., Blue Earth;
6th Dist., Melvin Irwin, 1st Alt., Virginia.
Missouri—8th Dist., Walter Oswald, 1st Alt., Bunceon, and William G. Stephenson, 2d Alt., Columbia.
Nebraska—5th Dist., Rollo M. Van Pelt, Hastings.
Nevada—Rep. Evans, Harold Kelly, Manhattan.
New Jersey—12th Dist., Christopher Wadley, Jersey City.
Ohio—13th Dist., Robert Pinkerton, Tiffin.
Texas—11th Dist., Olive G. Torbett, Waco.

The following candidates for appointment to the Military Academy were designated during the week ending June 27 to submit an educational certificate with a view to admission on July 1, 1921, without mental examination:

Illinois—5th Dist., John E. McLaren, Chicago.
Indiana—8th Dist., Herman H. Myers, Decatur.
Nevada—Rep. Arenas, Howard W. Westervelt, 1st alt., Winnemucco.

North Carolina—9th Dist., Stoner Klutz, Maiden.
West Virginia—6th Dist., Edward J. Lynch, Charleston.
Wisconsin—2d Dist., Donald G. Kappelman, Sheboygan Falls.

WEST POINT.

West Point, N.Y., June 30, 1921.

The Third Class left on Thursday morning by train for Camp Dix, where they joined the First Class and will spend the rest of the summer there. The new Fourth Class is not to enter the Academy until July 1. Mrs. MacArthur entertained on Wednesday afternoon with a card party of several tables of bridge and euchre. Mrs. Lewis Brown has gone to Fort Benjamin Harrison to visit her sister, Mrs. Ray, for a few weeks.

Col. and Mrs. Fieberger spent the week-end at Head-of-the-River, Smithtown, N.Y., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Atkinson. Major and Mrs. MacMillan and children, Laddie and Louise, have gone to Cohasset, Mass., to spend the summer with Mrs. MacMillan's parents, Col. and Mrs. Ladd.

Mrs. J. M. Tully gave a delightful tea on Friday afternoon for Mrs. Woodhull and a number of West Point ladies. Mrs. Timberlake gave an informal card party on Tuesday afternoon. The guests included Mmes. MacArthur, Woodhull, Clark, Holt, Dravo, Crittenger and Kahle. Major and Mrs. Conklin have returned from a fortnight's motor trip to Fort Ethan Allen. Miss Emily Townsend, of New York, has arrived to be the guest of her niece, Mrs. Conklin, for the summer. Mrs. DuBarry and her daughter, Miss DuBarry, for Mrs. Woodhull and Mrs. Charles Wilson, had tea on Sunday afternoon at their home, Point Breeze, Fort Montgomery, for Col. and Mrs. Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Asensio.

Major and Mrs. Marsh have gone to the Eastern shore to visit relatives. Major Weaver and son Jack have returned from a visit of several weeks in Ohio. Mrs. J. H. Hinemom, Jr., and daughter are visiting in Wyoming. Lieut. Comdr. P. H. Harrison, U.S.G.C., retired, Mrs. Harrison and little daughter Harriet are guests of Major and Mrs. Makel. Mrs. Armstrong, of St. Louis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. O'Hare.

Colonels Holt and Roger have returned from a five-day motor trip to New Haven and Hartford. Julian Lindsey, son of Col. J. R. Lindsey, is visiting Coleman Timberlake. Lewis Brown, 3d, and Ted Timberlake are spending the summer at Camp Dix.

THE NAVAL ACADEMY.

Annapolis, Md., June 30, 1921.

Admiral Henry B. Wilson is expected here on July 5 and is to remain ten days, then taking a well earned vacation before the regular academic year begins. Mrs. D. L. Howard gave a card party on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Louis Brereton, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brereton, of Murray Hill.

Comdr. and Mrs. R. G. Heiner have returned from a motor trip to the Blue Ridge Mountains. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mary T. Heiner, and Mrs. Heiner's mother, Mrs. T. W. Kinkaid. Prof. Carroll S. Alden, of the Naval Academy, and Mrs. Alden have returned from New Haven, Conn., where they went to attend the installation of Dr. Angell, the new president of Yale University. Professor Alden was the delegate from the academy.

Mrs. Hilary Williams entertained at an informal supper on Saturday and then took her guests to the Carvel Hall dance. Those present at the supper included Mrs. Joseph Valiant, of Wardour; Comdrs. and Mmes. W. R. Hall, M. K. Metcalf and Andrew D. Denny and Comdr. S. M. Krauss, who motored over from Washington; Lieut. Comdr. H. O. Roesch, G. W. D. Dashiell, J. L. Hall, Jr., Lieut. P. A. McLendon and Mrs. D. L. Howard.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. A. P. H. Tawessey are visiting Mrs. Tawessey's grandparents on Prince George's street. Mrs. John T. Bowers, wife of Commander Bowers, and their three sons, Jack, T. Kent and Richard Harwood, who have been spending several months here, left on Monday for Kittery Point, Me., where they will spend the rest of the summer.

A farewell dinner was given to Capt. Ernest J. King, late dean of the Navy Post Graduate School, on Friday by a number of members of the school. Comdr. R. G. Theobald and Lieut. Comdr. S. E. Holliday were also guests. Among the student officers present were Lieut. Comdr. George F. Hussey, Jr., Lieut. T. J. Keicher, Jr., Charles T. Joy, Harold O'D. Hunter, Frank E. Beatty, Jr., and H. E. Overesch.

Mrs. John Pryor, mother of Comdr. Frank Pryor, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law during the spring and early summer, has returned to her home in Monterey, Calif. Miss Frances Pryor will remain with her sister-in-law throughout the summer. Prof. Roderick Merrick, Naval Academy, and Mrs. Merrick entertained formally at cards on Thursday evening. Prof. Woolsey Johnson, for many years a professor at the Naval Academy, has been retired from the naval service with the rank of commodore. Mrs. Robert Milligan, widow of Rear Admiral Milligan, is seriously ill at Carvel Hall.

The condition of Mrs. Carlos Casachis, wife of Professor Casachis, late of the Navy, who has been very ill here for a long time, is slightly improved. Mrs. Louis Brereton and Mrs. M. B. DeMott returned on Tuesday from Old Point, Va., where they spent the week-end. Lieut. Comdr. De Mott's destroyer is taking part in the bombing tests at the Southern Drill Grounds.

Comdr. Lee P. Warren spent the week-end with Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. W. D. Brereton, who gave a supper for him on Saturday and afterwards took their guests to the Carvel Hall dance. Capt. Ernest J. King and family moved on Monday from the Naval Academy to their new home on Franklin street, Annapolis. Captain King is to take command of the U.S. supply ship Bridge, of the Atlantic Fleet, on July 5.

Comdr. C. T. Osburn spent Monday in Annapolis with Lieut. Comdr. Andrew D. Denney, who is to leave for Europe on July 5 as coach for the team being sent over by the National Rifle Association to take part in the international matches to be held in New France. Lieut. Comdr. W. S. Tisdale and family are occupying No. 16 Porter row, Naval Academy. Commander Tisdale is the new aid to the Superintendent of the academy.

The Naval Academy football squad for the coming season has received a noteworthy addition in the person of Long, who played guard for Swarthmore last season.

GOVERNORS ISLAND.

Governors Island, N.Y., June 27, 1921.

A delegation consisting of thirty members of the Elizabeth Lewis Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, from Long Island, visited Governors Island on Thursday of last week and were shown the various historical points of interest by Col. Russell C. Langdon, at whose invitation they came. After a tour of the island they were entertained at tea by Mrs. Langdon, who was assisted by Mrs. E. A. Dean and Mrs. Edward Carpenter and by Misses Isabel Webster and Juliet Carpenter. Miss Helen McKinley, sister of the late President McKinley, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. G. V. Heidt. Miss Mary Palmer, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John McA. Palmer, is visiting Major and Mrs. W. R. Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Parker Kuhn spent part of last week with Mrs. Normyle. Mrs. Kuhn's mother, Mrs. George Wilcox Melver, after a visit with Col. and Mrs. George W. Melver at Fort Stornum, in the guest of Chaplain and Mrs. Edmund B. Smith. Lieutenant Melver, U.S.N., is at present on the U.S.S. Michigan, in European waters.

Mrs. William Craighill and Miss Craighill are spending the summer in the White Mountains. The wedding of Major Joseph Hamilton Davidson, 16th Inf., and Miss Alvarine Howell Conklin, an account of which is given in another column, was attended by a large number of officers from the garrison, as well as by the commanding officer of the 16th and officers from Camp Dix.

An interesting function took place at evening parade one day last week when Lieut. Col. W. G. Doane, post commander, on behalf of the Athletic Association, presented a silver cup to Company I, champion of basketball for 1920-21. The ceremony took place when the companies were in hollow square formation. The commanding officer complimented the company highly upon its record. Corporal Jaspersen, captain of the team, received the cup, which later in the evening was exhibited

at the dance of the Fort Jay Social Club. Company I won the field meet on May 10. The machine-gun company, Capt. W. G. White commanding, has been fully organized and now takes part in dress parades.

R.O.T.C. CAMP, 7TH CORPS AREA.

Fort Snelling, Minn., June 24, 1921.

The R.O.T.C. camp for the 7th Corps Area opened June 16, with an enrolment close to the 500 mark. The students come from practically every state in the Northwest. Missouri University has the largest quota, with 150. The camp is in command of Col. George W. Moses, Cav., U.S.A., who has already proven himself to be a popular C.O., as well as an efficient one. There are nearly fifty officers as instructors, all of whom have been professors and assistant professors of military schools and colleges in the area. Col. W. E. Person, U. of Missouri, is senior instructor, and Major S. F. Sutherland, from Coe College, Iowa, is executive.

The cadets will be trained in military drill, citizenship, athletics, sports, theory and practice in many branches of study allied to modern warfare. They are guests of Uncle Sam, and every effort is being made for them to enjoy their visit. Entertainment of some kind is provided for every night. They are allowed to leave over week-ends, and the people of both Minneapolis and St. Paul have been most hospitable. Col. C. H. Muller, of Corps Area Headquarters, stood after an inspection of the camp that he believed that it would prove the most successful of any ever held in the area.

R.O.T.C. MOTOR TRANSPORT CAMP, 9TH CORPS AREA.

Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., June 23, 1921.

The R.O.T.C. Motor Transport camp opened on June 16, with students from the 9th Corps Area, thirty-one from Oregon Agricultural College and seven from Agricultural College of Utah. Major John M. True, Q.M.C., the camp commander, gave an interesting address on the purpose of the camp and introduced Col. L. B. Holbrook, G.S., who vividly presented the Motor Transport Corps operations during the war. Col. M. N. Falls, Inf., closed with a splendid address on the value of the corps both in peace and war. Other Regular Army officers detailed to the camp are Major Russell P. Hartle, Inf.; Capt. Lee W. Card, Q.M.C.; Charles Challice, Jr., Q.M.C., and Paul G. Kuiten, Q.M.C.

On June 18 the students journeyed to Berkeley to visit the university. The first dance of the camp was held on June 22 in the Officers' Club of Presidio. The Red Cross lent excellent assistance in securing attractive girls and music. Col. and Mrs. M. N. Falls, Col. and Mrs. W. McNamara, Col. and Mrs. P. H. Pearce, Major and Mrs. J. M. True, Major and Mrs. R. P. Hartle and Major and Mrs. J. D. Kelly were guests of the evening. Through the hearty co-operation of the Y.M.C.A. and Red Cross an uncommonly pleasant recreation room has been placed at the disposal of the students.

The daily schedule includes military and technical subjects, work in the shops, physical training, drill and sundry lectures. An extended convoy trip to Monterey and the Big Tree country has been announced for the middle of July. While at the Presidio of Monterey target practice will be held. A baseball team has been organized, with Cadets H. M. Moreland as manager and V. G. Goff as captain. This year's camp has many attractive features and the men have entered upon the schedule with splendid spirit. Col. R. L. Hirst, U.S.A., retired, gave two lectures on the customs of the Service and military courtesy and on leadership, both admirably presented.

CAMP A. A. HUMPHREYS R.O.T.C. ENGINEER CAMP.

Camp A. A. Humphreys, Va., June 28, 1921.

The Engineer R.O.T.C. is now an established fact for the summer of 1921. The total number of students enrolled is 605, divided as follows: Co. A, 224; Co. B, 208; Co. C, 76; Co. D, 95. The first week of actual work began June 30. All companies remained in Camp Humphreys during the week, pursuing various basic and advanced drills and studies. On June 27 Cos. C and D made up of basic students, hiked five miles to the target range and will remain there for target practice throughout the week, returning on Saturday.

A hop was held for the students at the post Service Club June 23. About fifty young ladies from Washington were present as were also a number of officers and their wives from the R.O.T.C. and a host of students. Two jazz orchestras of students played.

One of the recreational features has been the riding section, made up of students who desire to go under the direction of one of the camp officers. The only difficulty experienced is in furnishing a sufficient number of horses and in giving everybody a chance to go, for the "sign-up" lists for horses are always over-subscribed. Swimming in the Potomac has been one of the favorite sports. An intercompany baseball league has been formed, and some very good baseball has resulted. The 13th Engineers' best has fallen before the R.O.T.C. team, and many more scraps are being anticipated. Three tennis courts at the Officers' Log Cabin Club have been turned over to the students.

R.O.T.C. CAVALRY CAMP AT MONTEREY.

The Presidio of Monterey R.O.T.C. Cavalry camp opened on June 16 with an enrolment of 150 men. The students attending are from Oregon Agricultural College, University of Arizona, Texas State College of A. and M.A., and New Mexico Military Institute. The camp is ideally situated on the main parade ground overlooking the bay of Monterey. Major Frank Ross, Cav., U.S.A., is camp commander; Major A. W. Cleary, Inf., U.S.A., executive; Major F. R. Hunter, U.S.A., retired, adjutant; and Major C. Hartwell, Cav., U.S.A., senior instructor. No effort was spared by Col. John Jenkins, U.S.A., post commander, and the officers on duty at the Presidio of Monterey to make the camp complete in every detail. The camp is completely equipped for a thorough course in cavalry training and is so situated as to permit its members to actively participate in the many events which have been arranged at Hotel Del Monte by the citizens of Monterey, Pacific Grove and Carmel-by-the-Sea.

CAMP EUSTIS.

Camp Eustis, Va., June 13, 1921.

Mrs. Parsons entertained with a tea on Monday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Uhler, and for Mmes. Edgecomb, Ricker, Herman, Longino, Cole, Betts, Turner, Wildrick, Jenkins and Gray. Mrs. Gray also complimented Mrs. Uhler with a tea on Tuesday.

Mrs. Glenn, mother of Mrs. Hardie, has returned to her home in Greensboro, N.C. A tea was given by Mrs. Betts on Wednesday for Mmes. Parsons, Behrens, Edgecomb, Gray, Herman, Jenkins, Turner, Van Buskirk, Uhler, Lemon and McLaughlin.

Mrs. Griffin, a bride of a few weeks, has arrived; she and Lieutenant Griffin are living in the hospital area. Colonel Gilmore entertained with a box party at the Liberty Theater on Sunday to see "My Havana Girl" for Mrs. Moore, Miss Marsh, Lieutenant Colonel Sevier and Major and Mrs. Wildrick. All had supper at Major and Mrs. Wildrick's before the theater.

Camp Eustis, Va., June 20, 1921.

Col. and Mrs. Cole, who are leaving this week, Colonel Cole to assume his duties in the office of the Chief of Coast Artillery, and Mrs. Cole and children to go to Pittsfield, Mass., for the summer, have been much fêted the past week. Colonel Gilmore complimented Col. and Mrs. Cole with a beautiful dinner at the Hotel Warwick, in Newport News, on Tuesday other guests being Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Lincoln, from Fort Monroe, Lieutenant Colonel Sevier, Majors and Mmes. Herman and Wildrick.

Mrs. Wildrick had a luncheon on Wednesday for Mmes. Oldfield, Haines, Swan and Wildrick, from Fort Monroe, and Mrs. Herman. Mrs. Stevenson and Leon have joined Major Stevenson. On Thursday Colonel Cole's old regiment, the 52d

Artillery, C.A.C., gave a farewell reception at the Regimental Service Club to Col. and Mrs. Cole. During the evening Major Herman, the regimental commander, presented gold watch fobs, gifts of the regiment, to Private Drell, winner of the heavyweight boxing championship of the 1st, 2d and 3d Corps Areas and to Corporal Roberts, champion long distance runner of the 1st Corps Area.

The officers and ladies of camp honored Col. and Mrs. Cole on Friday night with a reception and dance at the Officers' Club. Receiving with Col. and Mrs. Cole were Colonel Gilmore, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Huntington, Majors and Mmes. Longino and Herman.

Several dinners preceded the hop. Majors and Mmes. Longino, Gray, Heiman and Wildrick and Captains Ricker and Parsons gave a progressive dinner from house to house in honor of Col. and Mrs. Cole. Colonel Gilmore and Lieutenant Colonel Sever being other guests. Capt. and Mmes. Bowman and White and Lieutenant Miles and bride of the Navy, dined with Capt. and Mrs. Van Buskirk, while Major and Mrs. Jenkins had as their guests Major and Mrs. Lemon, Capt. and Mmes. Betts and Edgecomb, Lieut. and Mrs. Meyer and Lieutenant Meyer's brother and sister from Washington. On Saturday afternoon Miss Jessie Parks, sister of Mrs. Barrows, was married to Mr. Hilton Rudd at Captain Barrows' quarters. Little Miss Marjorie Barrows was maid of honor.

The nurses gave Captain Quinby a farewell dance at the nurses' quarters on Wednesday night. Captain Quinby has been the camp surgeon; he is to return to civil life.

Miss Hardie has gone to Greensboro, N.C., to visit. She was entertained by Mrs. Bowman before her departure. Camp East's defeated Langley Field on Sunday in baseball with a score of 4 to 3 in a hard fought game.

Camp East, Va., June 27, 1921.

Miss Caroline Balding, of Honolulu, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roper. Capt. and Mrs. Ricker entertained with a porch supper on Tuesday for Majors and Mmes. Herman and Wildrick, Miss Edith Battey and Captain Barnes.

Miss Edith Battey, of Savannah, sister of Mrs. Wildrick, is visiting Major and Mrs. Wildrick, who on Wednesday entertained at dinner for Miss Battey, Miss Balding, Captain Barnes and Lieutenant Harbord.

The bachelor officers of the camp gave a dance at the club on Thursday to the married officers and their wives. Mrs. Detweiler and baby have gone to Michigan for the summer. For Mrs. Herman, who leaves shortly with her children to spend the summer in Maine, Mrs. Longino entertained with a bridge luncheon on Thursday, other guests being Mmes. Gray, Parsons, Ricker and Wildrick and Miss Battey. Capt. and Mrs. Ricker entertained with a supper on Thursday for the bachelors of the 43d Regiment—Captains Maris and Clarke and Lieutenants Webster, Higgins and Hartman—and for Majors and Mmes. Longino and Gray and Miss Battey.

Mrs. Ryan and baby are visiting in Washington. Miss Helen Townsend, daughter of Brig. Gen. C. P. Townsley, retired, is visiting Major and Mrs. Wildrick. Mrs. Richter and baby have gone to Maine for the summer.

For Major Longino's birthday anniversary, Mrs. Longino had a bridge party at the club on Monday night.

Camp East and Fort Monroe now tie for first place in the baseball league. A hard-fought game was played at Monroe on Sunday, East being in the lead by 6 to 3 until the last half of the ninth inning, when Fort Monroe scored four runs.

COAST DEFENSES OF BOSTON.

Fort Warren, Mass., June 27, 1921.

The Harbor Club met June 24, with Mrs. James F. Howell as hostess. The club has assumed the responsibility placed upon them by Colonel Howell, commander of the Coast Defenses of Boston, who promised to permit the club to continue the use of the hostess houses of the various posts in the harbor if the president of each local branch of the club would hold the club responsible for conditions there, and provide chaperones for the same each Sunday afternoon when the enlisted personnel might use it. In the removal of the Army hostess this step is necessary. Mrs. Howell accepted the honorary presidency of the Harbor Club.

Major and Mrs. Schrader have been entertaining Major Schrader's brother and his wife during the past week. Other guests upon the post were the parents of Capt. F. Webster Cook, over from Providence for the week-end. Major and Mrs. Cottrell have been entertaining Mrs. Cottrell's brother, Mr. John Chain, and her mother, Mrs. B. T. Chain, of Norristown, Pa. Major and Mrs. Cottrell were guests of Colonel Wood at Fort Andrews June 26.

At Fort Strong there were a number of small gatherings, usually of a family reunion character. At Captain Dingley's quarters, as the guests of his sister, there was a merry house party last week. The guests were from Boston and included Miss Madalen Dingley, and the Misses Grace Barnes, Ruth Ladd, Mmes. Martin, Chaffee and Captain Dingley's brother, Edward N. Dingley. The Captain's mother, Mrs. Dingley, chaperoned the party. Mrs. Dingley, wife of Captain Dingley, is still visiting her mother in Pelham Manor, N.Y., but returns July 1.

The pleasant dance and card party which the ladies of Fort Revere tendered to the men recently was reciprocated last week by one in every way as pleasant. Mrs. Fisher has returned from Washington, D.C.

New arrivals at Fort Andrews are Lieut. and Mrs. McGill, who come from the Infantry, Camp Devens, Mass., and Lieut. and Mrs. Reed, who with their two little ones lately arrived from Panama. Major and Mrs. Hart entertained the Bridge Club June 24. Lieut. and Mrs. Brotherton had as guests for the week-end Miss Ruth Jencks, of Pawtucket, R.I.

At Fort Banks Major and Mrs. Starr celebrated their nineteenth wedding anniversary with a dinner dance at the Winthrop Arms. The thirty-five guests were seated at one long table, which was attractively decorated with roses and ferns. Dancing followed the dinner. Those present included Colonel Howell, Lieut. Col. and Mmes. Raymond and Ruffner, Miss Gretchen Ruffner, Major and Mrs. Hume, Capt. and Mmes. Johnson, Morris and Layton, Lieut. and Mrs. Flagg, Lieutenant Amerson, Captain Safford, Mmes. Warfield, Lull, Bowen, Col. and Mrs. Eleanor Raymond and Mrs. Henry Hastings, of Boston.

The festivities of the young people are considerably augmented by the arrival upon the post of Mr. Allen Raymond, jr., on furlough from West Point, and Mr. Clark Ruffner, from the Virginia Military Academy. Miss King, of Denver, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Raymond, and Miss Marlen Raymond is also here from her school in Denver. Mrs. George F. Lull was hostess for luncheon June 22 for twenty guests. Capt. and Mrs. Safford are being congratulated upon the arrival of a little daughter, whom they call Mimmo.

The Winthrop pageant, "Progress, and America First," is to be given at Fort Banks on the evenings of July 4 and 5, for the benefit of the Army Relief, the Military Hospital Aid and the local branch of the Red Cross. Everyone on the post is aiding in the preparations and a splendid result is expected. This is the third pageant of this kind to be given.

EDGEWOOD ARSENAL.

Edgewood Arsenal, Md., June 29, 1921.

Edgewood Arsenal now remains the only post of the Chemical Warfare Service. The Proving Grounds at Lakehurst, N.J., have been abandoned, and the moving of the personnel and equipment to Edgewood will be completed by July 1. The new proving ground and Artillery range are fast nearing completion.

The officers' mess is very popular during the summer months, being situated on the shore of Gunpowder River, a neck of Chesapeake Bay. Tennis, swimming and boating parties are held during the summer season.

On June 25 Major and Mrs. O. R. Meredith gave a delightful dinner party at the officers' mess. Present including Brig. Gen. A. A. Fries, Majors and Mmes. Atkinson, Ditts, Baker, Sawtelle and Rockwood, Lieutenant Commanders Davis and Gillette, U.S.N., Capt. and Mmes. Walton, Black, Morris and Barker, Majors Mason, Gibson, Horstgate, Premias and

Brackenbury, Captains Chandler and Latimer, Mrs. Henderson, Mr. Mills and Mr. Trubie, Lieutenants Elliott and Battey also gave a dinner party there, entertaining Major and Mrs. Oore, Capt. and Mmes. Houser and Hutson, Lieut. and Mmes. May and Swanson. After the dinner the last formal dance of the spring season was given by the officers' mess, followed by a swimming party at midnight.

FORT MONROE.

Fort Monroe, Va., June 27, 1921.

The officers and ladies of the battery commanders' course, Coast Artillery School, gave a reception and dance to the officers and ladies of the post and the R.O.T.C. camp on Friday evening. Capt. and Mrs. House, Capt. and Mrs. Bowering and Captain Hutson received. Preceding the dance Major and Mrs. D. N. Swan, jr., entertained with a progressive dinner in honor of Col. and Mrs. Richmond P. Davis and for Col. and Mmes. Ordway, Mitchell, Bunker, Higgins, Majors and Mmes. Herring, Haines, Englehart and Mrs. Bundy. The same evening Col. Marion S. Battle had dinner for Col. and Mrs. Maybach, Majors and Mmes. Smith, Gray and Oldfield, Major and Mrs. E. W. Wildrick had dinner for guests on Sunday Majors and Mmes. Peck and Bowen, Mrs. Johnson and Major Willford. Capt. and Mrs. Meade entertained at dinner on Friday in honor of their house guest, Miss Pearl Schwarzmann, of Alexandria, Va., and for Major Guthrie and Captains Atwood and Hedge. Col. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson entertained with a large buffet supper and dance in honor of Col. and Mrs. R. P. Davis at the club Tuesday afternoon. Assisting Mrs. Johnson were Mmes. Mitchell, Buck, Wheatley, Grieg, Thomas, Lincoln, Maybach, Herring, Bulnead, Mead, Reybold, Norton, Oldfield, Clark, Hayden and Wildrick. On Wednesday Mrs. R. P. Davis entertained with a bridge party of four tables, other guests joining for tea.

Mrs. F. H. Lincoln gave a morning bridge and luncheon for twelve on Wednesday. In the afternoon Mrs. Kohn entertained at bridge and tea for sixteen; that evening Lieut. and Mrs. Crisp entertained twenty-six guests at dinner, including several from Langley Field, and from Fort Monroe were Capt. and Mmes. Taliaferro, Bowering and Kohn, Mrs. Campbell and Captain Anton.

Major and Mrs. J. S. Pratt entertained at dinner on Wednesday in honor of Col. and Mrs. R. P. Davis and for Col. and Mrs. Maybach and Colonel Butts. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Groom, of Hampton, entertained at dinner Col. and Mrs. Davis, Col. and Mrs. Maybach and Major and Mrs. Reybold.

Mr. and Mrs. Bouvier, of New York, were guests last week of Mr. Bouvier's sister, Mrs. R. P. Davis, and Colonel Davis. Col. and Mrs. Higgins are entertaining Mrs. Higgins's niece, Miss Stiefel, of Cherrystone, Va. Miss Mildred Hanson, of New York, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Hayden. Misses Land and Brine, of Norfolk, were week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Maybach; Miss Robertson, of Norfolk, was entertained by Major and Mrs. Smith, and Capt. and Mrs. Bowering had Miss Cobb, of Norfolk, as their guest.

Major Thomas Humphreys, of Fort Story, is here to act as fixed defense commander during target practice, and he and his family are occupying the fort commander's house. Miss Katherine Franks, of Washington, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Eugene Reybold, Miss Franks being accompanied by her friend, Miss Katherine Ingram, daughter of Captain Ingram, Q.M.C.

Col. and Mrs. Higgins entertained at dinner on Thursday for Miss Stiefel and for Col. and Mrs. Grieg and Captain Jarman. On Friday Mrs. Higgins invited a few friends in for tea to meet Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beside, of Washington. Major Wilson's dinner guests at Rosend on Friday were Mrs. George, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Congreve Jackson, of Baltimore. Colonel Harris dined with Col. and Mrs. Higgins on Monday.

Major and Mrs. W. S. Bowen entertained one hundred guests at a tea on the club porch on Sunday as a farewell to the members of the field officers' course, Coast Artillery School, and their wives. Assisting were Mmes. Ordway, Watson, Buck, Higgins, Cardwell, Lincoln and Clark.

Finale in the tennis tournament have been played off, Mrs. J. B. Mitchell and Colonel Maybach winning in the mixed doubles against Mrs. Pearson and Major E. W. Wildrick, wife Major Haines and Captain Wolfe defeated Colonel Higgins and Major Wildrick in the men's doubles.

Mrs. Doniphan and son Jack, of Alexandria, Va., are guests of Mrs. Doniphan's daughter, Mrs. D. N. Swan, and Major Stan. Misses Clara Ross, of Norfolk, Del. and Belle Hope, of Dover, Del., are guests of Col. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson. Mrs. Johnson entertained a number of young people with a swimming party and beach supper on Saturday.

WASHINGTON BARRACKS.

Washington Barracks, D.C., June 18, 1921.

Mrs. J. W. Norvell is making her home with Lieut. Col. Walter Krueger and Mrs. Krueger and the three younger members of the family—James Norvell, Walter Krueger, jr., and Dorothy Krueger.

Lieut. Col. Edgar A. Myer, with Mrs. Myer, left on Wednesday of this week for New York, where they will be joined by their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Myer, who is graduating with high honors this June from Miss Willard's seminary for young ladies.

Lieut. Col. Stanley D. Embick, of the Staff College faculty, and Mrs. Embick and their two daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Peggy Embick, are at No. 12, Lieut. Col. J. C. Ohnstad, Mrs. Ohnstad and the Misses Helen and Bessie Ohnstad will go to Fort Monroe for station.

Lieut. Col. Edgar A. Myer, Mrs. Myer and Miss Myer will enjoy a two months' vacation before going to Fort Leavenworth for station. Col. George G. Gately and Lieut. Col. Joseph W. Beacham have their home in Building 3-B.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Daniel F. Craig and Master Daniel F. Craig, jr., leave today for San Antonio. Colonel Craig will be located at Camp Stanley.

Washington Barracks, D.C., June 25, 1921.

Chaplain J. E. Duffy was host at an all-day picnic for the children and young people of the post on Thursday at Marshall Hall, Md., the fifteen-mile trip being made by water.

Major and Mrs. William O. Bass were honor guests at the home of U.S. Senator Howard Sutherland, of West Virginia, and Mrs. Sutherland for tea last evening. Lieut. Col. and Mrs. James H. Bryson will leave this post next week to take up their residence in Washington.

Recent arrivals on the post are Mrs. Kitts, widow of Major William P. Kitts, and their daughter, Miss Lilla Kitts. Mrs. Kitts and Miss Kitts have taken quarters No. 9, Building 56-B, recently occupied by Mrs. W. A. Chase.

Mrs. Daniel F. Craig and Master Daniel F. Craig, jr., left during the week for Vermont to visit relatives and friends. Lieutenant Colonel Craig left yesterday for Texas to join a Field Artillery battery stationed at Camp Stanley. Mrs. Craig and Master Craig will join Lieutenant Colonel Craig in several weeks. Miss Dorothy Gowen has returned from New York. Capt. and Mrs. Harold R. Richards entertained at dinner for Major William O. Bass and Mrs. Bass on Thursday.

ROSS FIELD.

Arcadia, Calif., June 13, 1921.

Captain Weeks on June 7, at his home in South Pasadena, entertained with a dinner party and later in the evening a theater party. Among the guests were Captain Stone and mother, Mrs. Nellie Stone, and Captain Watts and mother. Lieut. James T. Neely entertained during the week at the Sunset Inn at Santa Monica, the party motoring down to the seaside resort.

During the past week Lieutenant Martin as pilot and Captain Weeks as observer observed an artillery shoot on a Thum target from a pony blimp, and as far as it is known at this station this is the first time this has been done in the American Army. Fifteen shots were fired at the target, which is near Altadena, and the dirigible flew backwards and forward over Pasadena near the High School at a distance of about two miles from the target. Smoke bombs were used, simulating the bursting of artillery shells on and near the target.

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NORFOLK NAVY YARD.

Norfolk, Va., June 28, 1921.

The detachment of Rear Admiral Guy B. Burrage from command of the navy yard is a distinct loss to this vicinity. A host of friends, Service and civilian, regret the departure of Rear Admiral Burrage and his estimable wife for the West coast, where Admiral Burrage has been ordered for duty. As a token of their esteem, the officers of the yard and marine barracks gave a dance in their honor last evening. The guests, numbering about 200, were received by Rear Admiral and Mrs. Burrage, Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Riddle and Col. and Mrs. William N. McKelvey. Preceding the dance Miss Eleanor O'Leary and her father, Capt. T. S. O'Leary, U.S.N., entertained at a buffet supper for Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. F. T. Foxwell, Misses Ruth Lawrence, Marion Peale, Lieutenants Thomas and Schuler, U.S.M.C., and Mr. Edward Peale. Admiral and Mrs. Burrage will leave Friday for their summer home, Contocook, N.H. Miss Meta Burrage, who is visiting Misses Frances and Katherine Myers at Virginia Beach, will join her parents about the middle of July, accompanied by the Misses Myers, who will be her guests.

Lieut. G. C. Moore, U.S.M.C., and Mrs. Moore are guests at Mrs. John Webb's, Colonial avenue. Lieut. H. Eugene Brown, U.S.N., and Mrs. Brown had a birthday party for their little daughter, last week, at Sunset Cottage, Willoughby Beach.

Mrs. L. S. Slade had a card party at the Officers' Club, Army Base, last week for members of her card club, Mmes. Alonzo Gray, P. W. Guiney, G. G. Bailey, Edith Lowe, of Richmond, Va.; C. L. Manning, H. C. Whitehurst, L. S. Pate, Edward Berg, A. S. Harrison, W. E. Durst, W. S. Buck and Miss Jane Drew.

Lieut. Bruce F. Holding, M.C., U.S.N., and Mrs. Holding left last week for Wake Forest, N.C., to spend several weeks with Lieutenant Holding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holding. Later they will visit Mrs. Holding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hill, at Montgomery, Ala.

Mrs. Jasper V. Howard had a card party at her home in Portsmouth Thursday for Mrs. George Pickrell, wife of Captain Pickrell, M.C., U.S.N., and her mother, Mrs. John McGlensy. The guests included Mmes. Pickrell, McGlensy, Burrage, McKelvey, Smith, Druley, Miller, Bulmer, Gendreau, Rhoades, Gawn, Donelson, Boland, Refo, Selman, Manney, Ziegler, Galliford, Ross, Foxwell, Tildesley, Misses Eleanor O'Leary and Dorothy Pickrell.

Mrs. Edith White Bowe, of Richmond, is the guest of Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, U.S.A., and Mrs. Whitehurst, wife of Captain Whitehurst, M.C., U.S.N., and her mother, Mrs. John McGlensy. The guests included Mmes. Pickrell, McGlensy, Burrage, McKelvey, Smith, Druley, Miller, Bulmer, Gendreau, Rhoades, Gawn, Donelson, Boland, Refo, Selman, Manney, Ziegler, Galliford, Ross, Foxwell, Tildesley, Misses Eleanor O'Leary and Dorothy Pickrell.

Mrs. James O. Gawne and children, Miss Christine Gawne and Master James O. Gawne, jr., will leave the latter part of the week for Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., to spend the summer. Miss Jane Ruffin has left Chicago, thence to Camp Grant, where she will be the guest of Capt. and Mrs. S. G. Hastie. Mrs. George G. Seibels, accompanied by her brother-in-law and sister, motored to Lexington, Va., for the Virginia Military Institute finals. Capt. and Mrs. James Gatewood, accompanied by their daughter and little granddaughter, Mrs. Toy D. Savage and little Miss Savage, will leave tomorrow for Asheville, N.C., where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

Capt. and Mrs. Barron P. Du Bois and children leave Thursday for Annapolis, where Captain Du Bois has been assigned to duty. Capt. and Mrs. Henry A. May, recently arrived at the Naval Base, are occupying quarters formerly occupied by Comdr. H. D. Lamar and his mother, Miss Evelyn Fishburne, of Lynchburg, Va., is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. S. H. K. Doyle, at the Naval Base.

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND.

Aberdeen, Md., June 15, 1921.

Col. and Mrs. Schull have had as guests Comdr. and Mrs. Ackerson, U.S.N., and Col. and Mrs. Tachappat, of Washington. Before the dance given at the club on Friday of last week Major and Mrs. Gottschalk entertained with a large supper party. Their guests were Col. and Mrs. Schull, Mrs. Gatewood, Capt. and Mmes. Deebie, Bricker, Rehm, Arthur, Lieut. and Mmes. Lex, Riley, Cockburn, Moyer, Studier, Philipps, Misses Gottschalk, Johnson, Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. Herrold, Captains Melin, Kunz, Vollmer, Carolin, and Lieutenant Harshman. Major and Mrs. Young were also hosts at a buffet supper, entertaining Capt. and Mrs. Kennedy, Lieut. and Mmes. Whitaker, Crane, Becker, O'Hair, Capt. and Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Gleason, Captain Serum, Lieutenant Beck and Captain Nisley. Capt. and Mrs. Ford had a supper party preceding the dance to honor their house guest, Miss Esther Horney, Mrs. Ford's sister.

Mrs. Rehm left on Saturday for Philadelphia to visit relatives for a few weeks. Mrs. Gatewood has her mother, Mrs. Pierce, and her sister, Miss Alma Pierce, of Laredo, Texas, as house guests. On Tuesday she entertained for them with a bridge party.

A dance was given at the club on Wednesday night for the graduating members of the Ordnance School of Application. The evening was a very happy one, with an unusual final. Col. and Mrs. Schull invited the school and their friends to an al fresco supper on the beautiful grounds around their quarters. Dancing was continued in the pavilion on the lawn. On Saturday morning Major Gen. C. C. Williams came down from Washington and the graduation exercises were held in the Administration Building. General Williams presented the diplomas, and addresses were made by General Williams and Colonel Schull. The members of the class were Captains Joiner, Kunz, Vollmer, Lisle, Hirsch and Cowles, and Lieutenants Gram, Machie, Tucker, Woody and Eddy. Also Captains Soderholm, Bricker, Hardy and Hart. General Williams and his party were entertained at luncheon by Col. and Mrs. Schull, who also had as guests the military attaché of the Italian Embassy and his

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aid, and the military attaché of Sweden and Norway and their aide.

Mrs. Eddy, accompanied by her aunt, has returned from a three month's visit to her former home in New Mexico. Lieut. R. Z. Crane, who was married the early part of the month, has arrived on the post with his bride. They are guests of Lieut. and Mrs. Lex before taking quarters. Col. and Mrs. Schull have recently been entertained by Mr. Kirkland at the Garden Club of Hartford, and by Comdr. and Mrs. Richards. Capt. and Mrs. Kennedy have given a number of parties in honor of their house guests, visitors from New York.

The work of the R.O.T.C. is in full swing now, and much interest and energy are displayed. Majors Clapham and Blackmore, Col. J. C. Nichols in charge, and Captains Chambliss and Stevens have arrived for duty with the camp.

Major Greenwell, M.C., and his family are new members of the garrison and have taken quarters on Plum Point.

SAN DIEGO AND NEARBY BASES.

San Diego, Calif., June 16, 1921.

Mrs. Frederick O. Oliver, wife of Captain Oliver, of the U.S.S. Melville, was hostess at a luncheon for ten in Coronado recently.

Two of the local papers, the Union and Tribune, have offered a handsome silver cup, standing fourteen inches high, as a trophy for trapshooting contests among the Army, Navy and Marine crack shots stationed here. The committee of officers having in charge the arrangement of a schedule of meets includes Major Fitzgerald, Captain Randolph and Lieut. Frank Seifert.

Mrs. John L. Fox, wife of Lieutenant Commander Fox, entertained Tuesday with a bridge and dinner in honor of her mother, Mrs. Walter A. Cooke, of San Francisco. Among the guests were Meses, Marie C. Cushman, Joseph H. Pendleton, Marcus Miller, Ward Waddell, Shepler W. Fitzgerald, Ellis Lando, Clyde B. Camerer and Frank Drake. Mrs. Joseph H. Pendleton entertained recently with a dinner party in honor of the birthday anniversary of her husband, Brigadier General Pendleton, U.S.M.C.

Ena, Clement Cotton, recently graduated from the Naval Academy, is spending a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kenney, at La Mesa Heights. Mrs. Roy C. Kirtland and daughter Helen are guests of Lieut. and Mrs. Arthur W. Vannaman at Rockwell Field, North Island, where they will be joined soon by Major Kirtland, who will be on a month's leave from Fort Leavenworth. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. John McCallan, accompanied by their son, are on a visit in the East, stopping at the Hotel Pennsylvania in New York city.

In the observance of Flag Day, under the auspices of the Elks, Rear Admiral Roger Welles, commanding the 11th Naval District, gave an interesting address on the history of the flag, illustrated with stereopticon slides. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Berry were hosts at dinner at Hotel de Coronado on Monday, their guests including Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Berry, parents of Comdr. Berry, and the latter's brother, Mr. George Berry, and wife.

San Diego, Calif., June 23, 1921.

Mrs. John H. Hoover, wife of Commander Hoover, U.S.N., entertained with a bridge tea at her home in Coronado recently, having as her guests twenty ladies of the naval colony. Mrs. F. W. Cobb, wife of Lieutenant Cobb, U.S.N., has returned to San Diego after an absence of four years and is now the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. E. Kroff. Lieutenant Cobb is to be assigned to the U.S.S. California, soon to go into commission. In the new gunnery station at the Great station on North Island on Friday evening the enlisted men gave a large dance in honor of their commanding officer, Capt. J. H. Tomb, and Mrs. Tomb, who were soon to leave for the East. A number of other social affairs have been given in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Tomb within the past week or two. On Wednesday evening Rear Admiral and Mrs. Roger Welles were hosts at a formal dinner, with covers laid for sixteen. Comdr. and Mrs. John N. Ferguson gave another party recently, also in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Tomb. A tea was given in their honor on Tuesday by Capt. and Mrs. Oliver. On the departure of Capt. and Mrs. Tomb on Monday more than 500 officers and men from North Island and many local people were at the depot to see them off.

Col. and Mrs. W. D. Beach, U.S.A., retired, were hosts recently at a formal dinner at the Hotel de Coronado. Mrs. and Mrs. Meinrad Schur entertained informally recently in honor of Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. P. W. Ross, who are leaving for the North.

FOURTH DIVISION NOTES.

Camp Lewis, Wash., June 10, 1921.

Brig. Gen. R. H. Blatchford, commanding Camp Lewis, and Brig. Gen. George B. Duncan, commanding 7th Infantry Brigade, were guests of Brig. Gen. H. D. Todd, jr., commanding 31st Brigade, C.A.C., at the firing problems of the 59th Regiment, C.A.C., on the range near Nisqually.

Mrs. R. H. Blatchford was guest of honor of the ladies of the 59th Infantry at a bridge tea May 27. The 59th Infantry band played for dancing. Mrs. George B. Duncan received at the Camp Lewis Officers' Club on Thursday at a tea dance for the benefit of the Red Cross. Subscriptions amounting to \$75 were collected and transmitted to the European Relief Fund through the Tacoma Chapter of the Red Cross.

The School of Home Economics celebrated the end of twenty-four weeks' study in millinery and dressmaking under Miss Norris, as instructor, on May 16. The first class to be organized in the arts held a luncheon for the husbands of the members, and a special menu was prepared under supervision of the instructor. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Blatchford and Duncan and Col. and Mrs. Christian A. Bach were guests of the class, and the husbands of members were invited. In the original class were Meses, Muir, Eltinge, Tyler, Duncan, Bradbury, Walker, Rhein, Linsley, Matthews, Jump, Bowen and Glendennin. Miss Norris also instructed in cooking and a special luncheon was served. The classes are open to all women of the camp.

Intelligence schools are being conducted in the 7th and 8th Infantry Brigades under guidance of Lieut. Col. L. L. Gregg, 8th Inf., and Major J. C. Hattie, 58th Inf., respectively. Courses are based on the outline for combat intelligence training recently issued from the office of Major A. D. Chaffin, G.S., A.C. of S. Military Intelligence, 4th Div.

FORT STEVENS.

Fort Stevens, Ore., June 13, 1921.

The visit of the Canadian fleet to Astoria occasioned much gaiety for the officers and ladies of the Coast Defenses of the Columbia. After the official boarding visit of Major C. K. Wing, jr., commander of the defenses, in the flagship Aurora a delightful exchange of courtesies took place between the officers of the garrison and those of the Canadian navy.

Capt. H. C. B. Adams, commander of the Canadian cruiser Aurora, entertained at luncheon aboard the flagship Monday in honor of Major and Mrs. Wing. Other guests were British Vice Consul Cherry and Mrs. Cherry of Astoria, Miss Pauline Magruder, official hostess at Fort Stevens, and Commander Beall, Captain Adams, Commander Beall and Lieutenant Hosenquist of the Canadian navy, were honor guests at a tea given at Fort Stevens Monday by Major C. K. Wing, jr., and Mrs. Wing, who were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Wing, sr. The officers and ladies of the post were bidden to meet the visitors, and those who called included Major Z. L. Henry, Med. Corps, U.S.A., and Mrs. Henry; Capt. W. J. Jackson, Capt. and Mrs.

J. P. Jacobs, Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Carlson, Capt. James B. Couche, Lieut. and Mrs. Joseph Hafer, Lieut. Harold L. Stiebel, Lieut. E. W. Hendrick, Miss Pauline Magruder, Mrs. J. C. Pringle, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Hendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Pools and Mr. and Mrs. Wetzelson.

Judge J. W. Hendrick and Mrs. Hendrick, of Los Angeles, are visiting their son, Lieut. E. W. Hendrick, before his departure for the Philippines. Lieutenant Hendrick, who expects to be stationed at Corregidor, will sail from Tacoma July 5 with the 59th Regiment, C.A.C. Capt. L. R. Crews and Mrs. Crews sailed on the June transport for station in Honolulu. Lieut. and Mrs. Rick expect to leave San Francisco on the July transport, also for station in Honolulu. Recent arrivals at Stevens include Capt. and Mrs. J. P. Jacobs, from March Field, Riverside, Calif.; Lieut. Harold L. Stiebel has also been assigned to this station from March Field.

Major Z. L. Henry and Mrs. Henry entertained Wednesday evening for the Fortnightly Bridge Club, which numbers all the officers and ladies of the post. After the Officers' Club bowling party Wednesday evening Miss Pauline Magruder, the hostess, gave a chafing-dish party for Major and Mrs. C. K. Wing, jr., Judge and Mrs. Hendrick, Lieutenant Hendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Pools and Mrs. J. C. Pringle.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BORN.

BATSON.—Born at Camp Bragg, N.C., June 24, 1921, a son, Richard Traber Batson, to the wife of Major Roscoe C. Batson, 5th Field Art., U.S.A.

BRUCK.—Born at Coblenz, Germany, June 5, 1921, a daughter, Antoinette de Grandval Bruck, to the wife of Capt. Harold de B. Bruck, Cav., U.S.A.

COATES.—Born at Camp Custer, Mich., June 4, 1921, to the wife of Major Charles E. Coates, U.S.A., a daughter, Margaret Ann Coates.

FARRELL.—Born at Camp Dix, N.J., June 22, 1921, to the wife of Capt. Thomas P. Farrell, Corps of Engrs., U.S.A., a daughter, Barbara Farrell.

KNIGHT.—Born to the wife of Mr. John T. Knight, jr., son of Col. John T. Knight, Q.M. Corps, U.S.A., and Mrs. Knight a son, John T. Knight, 3d, at Chicago, Ill. He is also a grandson of Comdr. U. T. Holmes, U.S.N., and a great-grandson of Lieut. Gen. S. B. M. Young, U.S.A.

KOBBE.—Born at Battle Creek, Mich., June 26, 1921, to the wife of Col. F. W. Kobbe, U.S.A., ret., a daughter, Grace Marie Kobbe, granddaughter of Major Gen. W. A. Kobbe, U.S.A.

McAULIFFE.—Born at Camp Lewis, Wash., June 11, 1921, to the wife of Lieut. A. C. McAuliffe, 16th Field Art., U.S.A., a daughter.

MALONEY.—Born at Camp Benning, Ga., June 13, 1921, a daughter, Elizabeth McElroy Maloney, to the wife of Capt. Edward J. Maloney, U.S.A.

RUDELL.—Born at Sloane's Hospital, New York city, June 26, 1921, to the wife of Capt. James C. Ruddell, U.S.A., a daughter, Mary Elvia Ruddell.

MARRIED.

ARMSTRONG-PEARCE.—At St. Andrew's Memorial Church, Yonkers, N.Y., June 15, 1921, Mr. Joseph Bartlett Armstrong and Miss Margaret Emily Pearce, niece of Chaplain Frank Thompson, U.S.N. (retired), and sister of Chaplain H. M. T. Pearce, U.S.N.

BARKER-GRISWOLD.—At Gordon, Nebr., June 22, 1921, Mr. Wayne Latta Barker, class of 1920, U.S.M.A., and Miss Florence Clarissa Griswold.

BRUSH-MOOREHEAD.—At St. Cornelius's Chapel, Governors Island, N.Y., on June 19, 1921, Corpl. George William Brush, Med. Corps, U.S.A., Fort Jay, and Miss Jennie Vialla Moorehead, of New York.

BURNIE-GALLUP.—At Saco, Me., June 18, 1921, Arthur N. Burnie and Mrs. Elizabeth T. Gallup, widow of Capt. Perry M. Gallup, U.S.A.

CONOLLY-JACOBS.—At Boston, Mass., June 26, 1921, Lieut. Richard L. Conolly, U.S.N., and Miss Helen Blanche Jacobs.

DAVIDSON-CONKLIN.—At St. Cornelius's Chapel, Governors Island, N.Y., on June 23, 1921, Major Joseph Hamilton Davidson, 16th Inf., U.S.A., and Miss Alvarine Howell Conklin, daughter of Col. John Conklin, U.S.A.

FAGG-ERCK.—At Camp Meade, Md., June 23, 1921, Capt. Lawrence W. Fagg, 19th U.S. Inf., and Miss Doris Virginia Erck, daughter of Major Alfred H. Erck, 56th U.S. Inf., and Mrs. Erck.

GRIDLEY-MALLORY.—At El Paso, Texas, June 9, 1921, Capt. Cecil John Gridley, U.S.A., and Miss Maymie Mallory.

HARRINGTON-FANTOM.—At Manchester, N.H., June 15, 1921, Capt. Ralph E. Harrington, Coast Art., U.S.A., and Miss Ramona E. Fantom.

LEWIS-BROOKS.—At Mount Vernon, N.Y., June 25, 1921, Lieut. Harold B. Lewis, Field Art., U.S.A., and Miss Frances E. Brooks.

MILES-WOOD.—Married at Annapolis, Md., June 24, 1921, Roy C. Miles, of Atlanta, Ga., and Miss Dorothy T. Wood, daughter of Lieut. John W. Wood, U.S.N., and Mrs. Wood.

MORRISON-BRADSHAW.—At Riverside, Calif., June 21, 1921, Lieut. Raymond Morrison, Air Ser., U.S.A., and Miss Elsie Bradshaw.

PERKINS-GIBBS.—At Washington, D.C., June 15, 1921, Miss Josie Louise Gibbs, daughter of Col. George S. Gibbs, U.S.A., and Mrs. Gibbs, to Mr. George Kerrick Perkins.

PRINDLE-CURTIS.—At Waterville, Me., June 11, 1921, Capt. George L. Prindle, 23d Inf., U.S.A., and Miss Beatrice Valentine Curtis.

ROSE-REEDER.—At Muney, Pa., June 21, 1921, Lieut. Comdr. Earl Griffith Rose, U.S.C.O., and Miss Dorothy Irwin Reeder.

WALKER-WYKE.—At Camp Jackson, S.C., June 21, 1921, Capt. Nelson M. Walker, Inf. U.S.A., and Miss Doris Wyke, daughter of Col. J. E. Wyke, Coast Art., U.S.A.

WILLIS-GLADDEN.—Married at Annapolis, Md., June 25, 1921, Ensign Robert G. Willis, U.S.N., to Miss Eliza Gladden.

ZAPH-CAPPS.—At Milford, Conn., June 17, 1921, Dr. S. Demosthenes Zaph, formerly captain, National Army, and Miss Frances Dorothy Capps.

DIED.

BLOUNT.—Died in Baltimore, Md., June 15, 1921, Hon. William A. Blount, father of Mrs. Louis A. Craig, wife of Major Craig, Coast Art., U.S.A., and of former Capt. Frederic J. Blount, Air Ser., U.S.A.

BONAPARTE.—Died at his summer home near Baltimore, Md., June 28, 1921, Mr. Charles J. Bonaparte, a former Secretary of the Navy under President Roosevelt.

CRAIG.—Killed in action at Soissons, France, July 21, 1918, Lieut. Col. John Marcus Craig, U.S.A., beloved husband of Cassie O'D. Craig and a brother of Lieut. Col. Daniel F. Craig, Field Art., U.S.A. Interment at Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., May 19, 1921.

CROWLEY.—Died at Leavenworth, Kas., June 2, 1921, Mrs. D. P. Crowley, mother of Mrs. Charles G. Sturtevant, wife of Major Sturtevant, 49th U.S. Inf., and Mrs. R. F. Migdalski, wife of former Major Migdalski, Q.M.C., and Capt. Edwin K. Crowley, 55th U.S. Inf.

DAVIS.—Died suddenly at the Newport Hospital, Newport, R.I., on June 21, 1921, Anita B. Cresap Davis, wife of Lieut. Ralph Otis Davis, U.S.N., daughter of the late Lieut. Comdr. James O. Cresap, U.S.N., and Anna Leavitt Cresap. Services were held at St. Anne's Church, Annapolis, and the interment was in the Naval Cemetery.

DOYLE.—Died at Orangeburg, S.C., June 3, 1921, Dr. Thomas C. Doyle, brother of Capt. S. H. R. Doyle, U.S.N., and Capt. Alex. C. Doyle, U.S.A.

HAMNER.—Died at Lynchburg, Va., June 10, 1921, Mrs. E. C. Hamner, mother of Comdr. E. C. Hamner, Construction Corps, U.S.N.

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PAGE.—Died at Visalia, Calif., June 27, 1921, Flying Cadet Harold E. Page, of Union City, Mich.

SPEAR.—Died at Washington, D.C., June 29, 1921, in her eighty-second year, Mrs. Emma Louisa Spear, widow of Med. Dir. John C. Spear, U.S.N., and mother of the late Lieut. Roscoe Spear, U.S.N., Capt. Raymond Spear, Med. Corps, U.S.N., Mrs. G. K. Davis, wife of Lieutenant Commander Davis, U.S.N., and Mrs. Reginald Spear, late lieutenant, British army.

STALLMAN.—Died at Irondequoit, N.Y., June 23, 1921, Capt. George P. Stallman, Med. Corps, U.S.A.

WEATHERBY.—Died at Visalia, Calif., June 27, 1921, Flying Cadet Joseph W. Weatherby, of Fort Davis, Texas.

N.G. ENCAMPMENTS, 9TH CORPS AREA.

The following is a list of fifteen-day encampments for Federalized National Guard organizations in the 9th Corps Area:

Washington N.G. at State Reservation, Murray, July 2-16, for 161st Inf., M.G. Troop B, Cav., and 116th Ambulance Co.; July 16-30, for 146th Field Art. units. At Fort Worden, July 16-30, for Coast Art. units.

Montana N.G. at Sidney, July 15-30, for one Inf. company. California N.G. at Yosemite Valley, July 10-24, for Inf. and Signal Corps units. At Fort MacArthur, Aug. 13-27, for Coast Art. units. At Camp Lewis, Sept. 4-19, for Field Art. units.

Wyoming N.G. at Fort D. A. Russell, Aug. 2-15, for Cav. units.

STATE FORCES.

Major Gen. William G. Haan, U.S.A., has accepted an invitation to review the 7th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., Col. W. H. Hayes, on Thursday, July 21, at the state camp ground at Peekskill, N.Y., where the regiment will be in camp from July 10 to 24, inclusive. The officers and men are looking forward to a very instructive tour. It is expected that a large body of veterans of the old 7th, among them many officers and citizens of prominence, will visit the regiment during the review by General Haan.

The 7th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., Col. W. H. Hayes, will proceed to Peekskill, N.Y., July 10, to remain in camp until July 24, for field service instruction. The 18th Coast Defense Command, Col. S. Grant, will perform a tour of two weeks' duty at Fort H. G. Wright, Fishers Island, N.Y., July 9 to 23. The 105th Field Artillery, Col. R. W. Marshall, will be on duty at Montauk Point, N.Y., for instruction with Regular troops from July 10 to 24. The 101st Cavalry, Col. M. D. Bryant, will be on duty at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., from July 31 to Aug. 14.

Promotions, appointments and assignments in the staff of the Commander-in-Chief of the Connecticut N.G. are made as follows: Col. L. B. Barbour to be Q.M.G., with rank of brigadier general; Col. R. L. Keeney to be I.G., with rank of colonel; Col. C. F. Rockwell to be Chief of Ord., with rank of colonel; all rank from June 1, 1921. Col. M. A. Connor, A.G., and Col. C. E. Smith, A.Q.M.G., are assigned to duty on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief.

NORTH CAROLINA.

An Engineer company has been inspected at North Wilkesboro, N.C., for Federal recognition, and the Hqrs. Detachment and Combat Train 155-mm. Howitzers at Youngsville. Things are shaping up rapidly for the completion of the 155 Howitzer Battalion, of which the Hqrs. and Combat Train is a part. One battery will be at Goldsboro, commanded by Capt. Kenneth Royall, and another battery at Louisburg, under Capt. Hugh Perry.

Col. Don E. Scott, commanding 1st Infantry, a World War veteran, has been extended Federal recognition along with his staff by the War Department. Major James W. Jenkins, Inf., has also been extended recognition. Major Jenkins during the World War served with the 120th Infantry throughout its operations in France. Major G. K. Hobbs, of Wilmington, has been appointed a major in the Infantry, and he, too, served in the World War with the 119th Infantry. The third major of the regiment will be Major R. R. Faison, of Greensboro, who is an officer of experience, having served overseas with the 39th Division and for several years was an officer in the Philippine Constabulary. The regimental machine-gun officer will be Major R. G. Cherry, of Gastonia. Major Cherry commanded a machine-gun company of the 60th Brigade, 30th Div., overseas. The second in command of the regiment is Lieut. Col. John H. Manning, of Kinston. Colonel Manning was operations officer of the 119th Infantry during its engagements on the Western front. The regimental adjutant is Capt. C. A. Gosney, of Raleigh, the intelligence and training officer, Capt. H. S. Silver, and the supply officer, 1st Lieut. P. H. Gwyn, of Reidsville. On June 1 last North Carolina had 1,357 officers and men in its National Guard.

ARKANSAS.

Headquarters and Hqrs. Co., 2d Battalion, 5th Inf., Beebe; Hqrs. and Hqrs. Co., 3d Battalion, 5th Inf., El Dorado; the band section of Service Co., 5th Inf., Marianna; Medical Detachment, 5th Inf., Camden and Forrest City; and Hqrs. and Hqrs. Detachment, 1st Anti-Aircraft M.G. Battalion, Nashville, were reported to the War Department for Federal recognition on June 13. Cos. G and H, 1st Anti-Aircraft M.G. Battalion, Osark and Little Rock, respectively, were reported on June 15. These are the remaining units of the entire allotment of troops made to this state by the War Department for organization up to June 30, 1921, and with their Federal recognition the entire Arkansas Guard is complete until the new allotment of troops become available on July 1.

The following appointments of officers have recently been made: William C. Bradford to major, I.G.D., and assigned as state inspector to succeed Major Heber L. McAllister, appointed lieutenant colonel of the 5th Inf.; James Tipton, former Camp Pike ordnance officer, to major, Ord. Dept., and assigned as state ordnance officer to fill original vacancy; Charles F. Addy, of El Dorado, a first lieutenant, Inf., and assigned to the 3d Battalion, 5th Inf., as adjutant; battalion is commanded by Major Sam D. Crawford, of El Dorado; Leland S. Lamm, of Little Rock, to captain of Inf. and assigned as supply officer 5th Inf.

Second Lieut. Augustus C. Swindler and Sergt. Andrew L. Boyles, Co. D, 5th Inf., Pine Bluff, have been appointed first and second lieutenants, respectively, and assigned to that organization. Capt. Harry W. Smith, 1st Lieut. John T. Hamilton, jr., and 2d Lieut. Robert B. Green have been appointed as officers of Co. H, 1st Anti-Aircraft M.G. Battalion, Little Rock.

The state rifle competitions, at which a National Guard team to represent the state at the National Rifle Matches will be selected, will be held at Camp Pike Aug. 17-24. Two 1st Anti-Aircraft M.G. Battalion, which has just been completed with companies at Hober Springs, Blue Mountain-Magazine, Osark and Little Rock, will be commanded by Major Charles S. Garrett, of Hope, who commanded the 141st Anti-Aircraft M.G. Battalion in the World War. The battalion adjutant is 1st Lieut. Ben Sain, of Nashville; commanding companies are

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COLORADO.

Approximately 550 National Guardsmen are on duty in Pueblo, Colorado, guarding property and directing clean-up operations following the disastrous floods there. The units include Companies C, F, G, K, L and M, 177th Inf., 1st Separate Squadron Hqs. and Troops A, B and C, Battery A, Field Art., 1st Separate Tank Co. and the Howitzer Co., 177th Inf. All are Colorado National Guard troops. Regular Army units on duty in Pueblo are Supply Troop, 15th Cav., from Fort D. A. Russell; Motor Transport Corps No. 49, 8th Army Corps troops from Fort Bliss, and a medical detachment from Fitzsimons General Hospital.

WASHINGTON.

The first conference since 1915 of officers of the National Guard of the state of Washington was held at Seattle on June 4 and 5, with Brig. Gen. Maurice Thompson, The A.G., presiding. He prefaced his introduction of Col. Oliver H. Dockery, of the Regular Army, by saying that the National Guard owed a debt of gratitude to the Regular Army officers who had made it possible for the National Guard to reach its present state of efficiency. Colonel Dockery declared that the barrier which had existed between the National Guard and Regular Army a number of years ago had been wiped out by the World War, welding the Guard and Regular Army into one magnificent, democratic fighting force.

General Thompson said that in order to develop efficient organization it was necessary to have team work, which could only be made possible when every member of the team had met face to face and knew the part the men he was working with had to play as well as his own. The Washington Guard had in the past a reputation of being one of the most efficient, and he had no doubt that the reputation would be maintained in the future.

High tribute was paid to the work of General Thompson by Brigadier General Blethen, who will command the Artillery Brigade of the 41st Division when it is organized. Col. William T. Patten, Major Cliff Andrus and Major John H. Hood, of the U.S. Army, were present and outlined the programs for the summer encampments, explaining the scope of instruction.

The dates of the camps are: 161st Infantry at Camp Murray from July 2-16; Field Artillery at Camp Murray July 16-30. In addition to Major Andrus there will be eight other Regular

Army officers and forty-eight N.C. officers to help speed up the training.

The Centralia Tank Company and Battery A, Corps Art., of Walla Walla, started their fifteen days' field training at Camp Lewis, June 12. The two Coast Artillery companies at Aberdeen and Snohomish will go into camp at Fort Worden from July 16 to 30.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

The Answers Department is intended for the information of all readers of the paper. We do not answer questions as to personal standing in examinations or individual prospects of appointment or call to duty. Inquiries are so numerous and so varied in character, and in so many cases require time for special research, that we are unable to respond to the request for a personal reply to letters. Inquiries will be answered in the paper as soon as possible after their receipt. Questions must be accompanied by name and address of inquirer.

J. A. asks: Came into the Service Sept. 4, 1918, discharged Jan. 24, 1919; re-enlisted Nov. 29, 1920. Am I entitled to \$90 bonus? Answer: If you re-enlisted for three years, yes. Receive it at end of the enlistment.

G. B. asks: (1) When did the 19th Infantry leave Ponce, Porto Rico? (2) When did the 19th Infantry arrive in the Philippines on the first tour? Answer: (1) About June 1, 1899. (2) About Aug. 24, 1899.

J. L. asks: (1) Date 12th Infantry arrived in the P.I. in 1899? (2) 1st Infantry sailed from P.I. in 1903? (3) 1st Infantry arrived in P.I. in 1906? (4) 2d Infantry sailed from P.I. in 1908? Answer: (1) About March 20, (2) About March 15, (3) About March 1, (4) About March 15.

J. W. K.—On its second expedition to Cuba the 2d Inf. left U.S. April 13, 1899; arrived back home July 24, 1900. Allow about four days each way sailing time.

CORPORAL.—The ninety-dollar enlistment allowance could not have been offered in March, 1920. Perhaps you mean 1921. This has been payable for all three-year enlistments or re-enlistments begun since June 4, 1920.

R. M. M.—The widow of the veteran of Indian wars and of the Spanish war should send a statement of his service to the Pension Commissioner, Washington, D.C., and ask for the proper blanks on which to apply for a pension. The Commissioner could inform you as to which service would qualify you as a pensioner.

T. J. F. asks: (1) On what date in June, 1898, did the 10th Infantry land in Cuba? (2) On what date in August did they sail for the U.S.? (3) On what date in December, 1898, did they land in Cuba as the Army of Occupation? (4) On what date in September, 1899, did the 3d Battalion sail for the U.S.? Answer: (1) About June 18, (2) About Aug. 12, (3) About Dec. 15, (4) About Sept. 21.

W. S. V., Panama, asks: I was appointed sergeant, clerk (temporary), Q.M.C., May 1, 1919, and was discharged June 5, 1920, expiration of service. Re-enlisted as sergeant, Q.M.C., June 8, 1920. I was reduced to the grade of private June 30, 1920, per act of June 4, 1920; regressed private first class, specialist fourth class, per par. 3, S.O. 141, Hqs. Panama Canal Dept., Sept. 16, 1920, effective July 1, 1920. My pay as a sergeant, Q.M.C., including service pay, was \$67.20 per month; my pay as private first class, specialist fourth class, including service pay, is \$57.50 per month. There is a clause in the act of June 4, 1920, that says that the pay of no man is to be reduced; yet my pay, through no fault of my own, has been reduced \$10 per month. Am I entitled to pay under the act of May 18, 1920? And, in addition thereto, am I entitled to pay as specialist fourth class? Does the fact that I was discharged June 5, 1920, and re-enlisted in the same grade, after the act was passed, debar me from drawing pay that I have lost through no fault of my own? My grade on June 4, 1920, was sergeant, Q.M.C. Answer: The act of June 4, 1920, fixed the rates effective July 1, 1920. The saving clause in section 4b reading "nothing in this section shall operate to reduce the pay which any enlisted man is now receiving during his current enlistment," etc., expired in your case July 1, 1920, by reason of your having been discharged June 5 from the enlistment that was "current" June 4. You are properly paid under the act of June 4.

FOX.—We would suggest that you apply for the information you seek to The Adjutant General of the Army and the Bureau of Navigation, stating reasons for your inquiry.

C. E. B. asks: (1) Tried by G.C.M. for desertion and convicted for A.W.O.L.; was in confinement awaiting trial almost three months. Sentenced to forfeit two-thirds pay for three months. Was I on a pay status for the period while awaiting trial? (2) Survey of clothing short while A.W.O.L. as approved, recommended that value be charged against me. Upon my return to duty I had all clothing charged against me. Can survey be revoked? Answer: (1) No. (2) No.

KING asks: I fired the Regular Army course in Manila on May 23, 1918, and requalified as sharpshooter. Did not fire in 1919, but qualified as expert rifleman May 18, 1920. Am I entitled to sharpshooter pay for 1918-1919? Answer: No.

A. M. M.—Apply to The A.G. for a copy of the amendment to Army Regulations that permits the sale of clothing and equipment to the personnel in active service.

RETIRED asks: I first enlisted in 1889, served through the Sioux War of 1890-91, the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection; was retired in 1911; recalled to active service in 1917 for the World War (but was not out of the U.S.) and returned to retired list in 1919. I was married Oct. 22, 1918. Now in case of my death (not result of service) would my wife be entitled to a pension? If there should be children would they be entitled to anything? Answer: Your wife might be entitled to a pension because of your service in the Indian Wars or in the Spanish War. No pension for widows has been authorized for the World War except death or disability a result of the war. The Pension Commissioner would furnish desired information.

A. C. Y.—No changes have issued to provide for precedence of C.W.S. and Tanks in paragraph 6, Army Regulations. See last two sentences of that paragraph.

MASTER SERGEANT, RETIRED.—It is not possible for you to draw, in addition to your retired pay, any pension provided for disabled Spanish War veterans. The act of May 18, 1920, does not add anything to the pay of officers or men on the retired list; neither does the act of June 4, 1920, change the rates for those already retired.

J. L.—Double time does not count in the sixteen and twenty-year provisions for transfer to the Fleet Naval Reserve. The law is too extensive for reproduction here. In both Army and Navy, for retirement at thirty years, double time is counted. Congress has not considered a twenty-five year bill for the Army recently. As to the Navy law, you will find it in the Navy Year Book.

C. L. C.—The validity of War Department action in the classification and discharge of officers under sec. 24b of the Army Reorganization act is now being tested in the courts. There is nothing for you to do until these test cases are decided.

R.—You will not be due for promotion for some time to come. It is not possible to say at this time how the findings of a medical board would result in your case. If you should go out under classification B for unfitness not due to your neglect, etc., you would be discharged with one year's pay. We have no parallel case to compare with yours, and cannot say how your disability resulting from emergency commissioned service will apply to your retirement rights as a Regular Army officer appointed last October, notwithstanding the war injury.

W. L., Q.M.C., asks: I was discharged June 18, 1919; I re-enlisted Sept. 15, 1920. Should I have got my \$90 bonus when I enlisted or wait until I am discharged? Answer: This depends upon whether the service from which you were discharged was such as to place you now in a re-enlisted status. If you are carried as a first enlistment man, your bonus will be due Sept. 15, 1923.

M. E. G.—Military service in the United States during the Spanish War counts the same, in the matter of Spanish War



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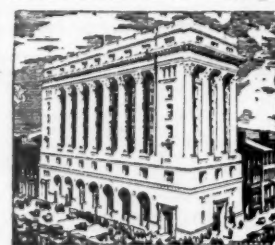
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L. D.—Your service in the Navy does not count towards your longevity as an enlisted man of the Army.

J. T. H. asks: Enlisted June 10, 1916, in the Federalized National Guard; served on the Mexican border and in France; never was out of Service until discharged, May 21, 1919. Re-enlisted June 11, 1919; in Service ever since. When will I start to draw ten per cent. pay? Answer: Count all service with the Army of the United States, including the National Guard service under the call to the Mexican border and under draft in the World War.

S. D. asks: (1) Can a retired officer, when occasion occurs to wear his uniform, wear the insignia of his war rank, although demoted a grade on retirement? (2) In converting term insurance (W.E.I.) to a regular form, what would the cost of premium be for a retired officer of sixty-five years? Answer: (1) Not entitled to wear insignia of higher than actual grade you now hold, except in case of brevet. (2) Annual premium for ordinary life is \$77.37 per thousand if converted at age sixty-five; it is \$82.10 at age sixty-six.

R. R. D.—Apply to Bureau of Navigation in the matter of your retainer pay.

C. F. F. asks: Before the World War had five to six years' continuous service in the N.G. Served on Mexican border in N.G. in U.S. Service. In June, 1917, enlisted in the Regular Army for the period of the emergency; served twenty-three months. (1) Was I entitled to re-enlistment pay for previous N.G. service? (2) If commissioned now in the Regular Service, can I count my N.G. service in the U.S. (i.e., on the Mexican border) service towards longevity? Answer: (1) No. (2) Yes.

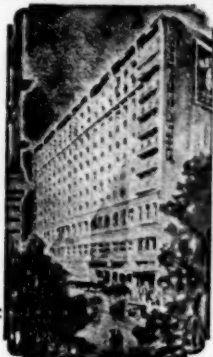
S. M. M.—Headquarters companies fire course A.

L. D.—Your C.O. should be able to give you the desired information as to appointments from the enlisted personnel to West Point. You must have had one year's Army service, and must be between nineteen and twenty-two years of age. Full information may be obtained from The A.G. through the channel.

W. F. S. asks: About how long would it take for one to receive promotion to first lieutenant if he receives a second lieutenant's commission from the recent examination? Answer: It would depend upon his standing on the list of new appointees if more than 1,000 are successful. There are over 1,000 vacancies for first lieutenant, and the 1,000 or so at the top would be promoted immediately after appointment to the Army.

J. H. G.—You stand twenty-second from the next vacancy in grade of major. On June 25 Capt. J. de B. Walbach, C.A.C., No. 8514, was due to fill the first vacancy occurring in grade of major.

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SIXTH CORPS AREA HEADQUARTERS.

Fort Sheridan, Ill., June 3, 1921.

At the bi-monthly meeting of the Ladies' Card Club on May 24 the hostesses on this occasion were Mmes. Edwin O. Saunders and Charles M. O'Connor. The tournament prize was awarded to Mrs. A. Morgan. Miss Florence Helmick was hostess at a bridge party on May 25 in honor of Mrs. Louis A. Merrill, who is leaving for Camp Grant. The guests included Misses Alice Hess, Ruth Wynne, Heloise Wynne, Clara Jackson, Louise Wood, Dorothy Caldwell, Mary Chitty, Dorothy Heintzelman, Lorna Chitty, Mmes. E. S. Hughes and E. S. Adams.

Miss Dorothy Heintzelman entertained with a dinner on May 28 for Major and Mrs. E. S. Hughes, Misses Florence Helmick, Lorna Chitty, Clara Jackson, Mary Chitty, Ruth and Heloise Wynne and Lieuts. John Corridon, Christian Gross, Capt. Alfred Kelly and Messrs. Wayne Hunt, Walter Bush, Lyman Barr and Major William Shutan.

Major and Mrs. Louis A. Merrill left on Saturday for the home of Major Merrill's mother, in Ohio, where they will spend a two weeks' leave before going to Camp Grant for duty. On May 29 Mrs. Eli A. Helmick entertained with a luncheon for the members of her sorority, the Pi Beta Phi. Luncheon was served on the beach, followed by an afternoon of bridge. There were ninety ladies present. May 29 was the night of the children's hop at the club. Mrs. E. S. Adams entertained before the dance with a supper for her young son, Jim Adams. The guests included Valerie Chitty, Meda Saunders, Bob Blanchard, Jim Cowan, George Ewell, Hank Adams, Julian Ewell, Margaret and Ruth Steele, Dorothy Van Osten, Catharine Christophel, Margaret Favore.

Mrs. Hardenbergh was hostess at a luncheon on May 25 for Mmes. A. S. Cowan, E. O. Saunders, Leonard Wood, R. G. Peck and E. A. Helmick.

The Fort Sheridan polo team on May 31 played the first match of the season on the Onwentsia field. The team is composed of Major E. S. Hughes, Capt. Alfred Kelly, Major E. O. Saunders and Mr. Johnson, Lieutenant Corridon and Major Shutan alternating for fourth place. Fort Sheridan played the Onwentsia team and was defeated, but we look for better results next time.

Col. Harold P. Howard, of Chicago, was the guest of Col. and Mrs. W. D. Chitty for the day on May 31. Miss Dorothy Caldwell entertained with six tables of bridge on June 1 in honor of Miss Therese Cooper, of Washington, her house guest. Mrs. Benjamin Fessenden gave a luncheon for the Colonial Dames on Wednesday. There were present seventy-five ladies, who later adjourned to the Officers' Club, where Mrs. Fessenden read a charming little play in four acts, of which she is the authoress, assisted by Mrs. Biffeld, who sang the accompanying songs.

Fort Sheridan, Ill., June 20, 1921.

Mrs. Arthur S. Cowan on Saturday entertained twelve guests with a moving picture party in Highland Park, followed by tea at her quarters. Mrs. Paul Davis, of Fargo, N.D., is house guest of Major and Mrs. Ewell. Col. and Mrs. W. D. Chitty were hosts at supper on Sunday for Col. and Mrs. McFarland, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Willard, Major and Mrs. Ewell, Major and Mrs. Hardenberg, Miss Goodwin and Mrs. Paul Davis. Mrs. A. T. Lagorio entertained at the Officers' Club with a bridge luncheon, followed by a musicale. Major and Mrs. Henry Nelly entertained on Friday with a dinner for Col. and Mmes. Chitty, Cowan, Major and Mrs. Robert E. Wood, of Highland Park, and Major and Mrs. E. Adams. Major and Mrs. Hughes were hosts at a supper party on the same evening for Col. and Mmes. Caldwell, Stacey, Peck, Morgan, Major and Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Ingals, Colonel Willard and Mrs. Fessenden.

Col. and Mrs. Cromwell Stacey held a reception on Monday evening. The entire garrison was present, together with the R.O.T.C. officers who are here for the summer camp. Mrs. A. S. Morgan presided in the dining room. On June 14 Mrs. A. S. Morgan entertained with a bridge party in honor of Mrs. John Hess, who is leaving for the Philippines at the end of this month. Mrs. McCulloch also has been a bridge hostess in honor of Mrs. Hess. Miss Dorothy Heintzelman has left for a short visit in Washington. Miss Dorothy Caldwell is visiting friends in Hartford, Conn.

The R.O.T.C. Infantry camp opened at Fort Sheridan on June 16, with students representing the senior units of schools and colleges from the states of Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan. The camp is under the command of Col. W. D. Chitty, with Lieut. Col. G. A. Wieser as senior instructor and Major H. M. Nelly as executive officer. On June 17 a dance was held in the Officers' Club for the students and officers of the R.O.T.C. A picnic was held on the beach Saturday evening under supervision of Mrs. Eli Helmick. The entire garrison was invited, together with the officers and students of the R.O.T.C. Dancing was enjoyed on the

pavilion on the beach, with music furnished by the Camp Grant band.

FORT LEAVENWORTH.

Fort Leavenworth, Kas., June 19, 1921.

Col. and Mrs. Sherburne Whipple entertained with a paper chase on Saturday afternoon, the party led by Mmes. Whipple and Upham, Colonels Hughes and Pillow, followed by Mrs. Pillow, Colonels Whipple and Upham, Col. and Mmes. Drum, Barnum, Taylor, Williams, Allen, Majors and Mmes. Mackall, Foster, Brooke, Polk, Smith, Cooper, Boswell, Watkins, Misses Reaume and Fuller. Supper on the golf grounds and dancing at the Officers' Club followed.

Mrs. Frederick Doyle gave a luncheon for twelve on Wednesday. Col. and Mrs. E. B. Miller gave a dinner for thirty on Friday. The same evening Miss Gertrude Hyde and Lieut. Francis D. Ross entertained the members of their wedding party with a dinner at the Officers' Club.

Mrs. C. M. Bundel honored her mother, Mrs. Valentine, at a bridge party for twenty-four on Tuesday evening. Major and Mrs. Lewis H. Watkins gave a dinner Friday for their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabbs, of Kansas City, Mo., and for Col. and Mrs. Glassford and Major and Mrs. Boswell.

Col. and Mrs. McCormack entertained at a dinner Saturday, honoring Mrs. Thomas N. Johnson, wife of Major Johnson. Mrs. George M. Peabody, jr., with her small daughter Margery, arrived last week from Fort Houston to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keyburn, in Leavenworth, before sailing on the August transport for the Philippines with Captain Peabody.

Col. Herbert J. Brees entertained thirty guests at dinner Friday at the Officers' Club. Col. and Mrs. Alfred J. Booth entertained at a beautiful dance Thursday evening at Pope Hall as a pleasure for their three children. One hundred of the very young people enjoyed the occasion.

Three hundred dollars was realized from the cantata "The Morning of the Year," by Cadman, given at Pope Hall by Miss Bernice Schalker, Mrs. Ben Donovan, Mr. Horace Runkle, Major Leigh C. Fairbanks, Mrs. Charles M. Tholen and Mrs. Elizabeth Hawkins. This fine musical performance was for the benefit of the Army Relief Society. Mrs. C. B. Stone gave an Orpheum Theater party on Thursday and another on Friday.

Col. C. S. Lincoln, here inspecting the General Service Schools, is the guest of Col. and Mrs. E. E. Booth. Mrs. C. M. Miller and daughter Eva Rose leave this week for New Bedford, Mass., to be guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Lacouture.

Brig. Gen. E. F. McGlachlin, future commandant of the Army Service Schools, will arrive at Fort Leavenworth about the middle of July. His family will come some weeks later.

Next year's tournament of the Kansas State Golf Association will be held at Fort Leavenworth, it was announced Thursday by Major Joseph Topham, golf director, who received a telegram stating the association would accept the invitation of the Fort Leavenworth club for June, 1922.

Misses Anne and Mary Webster returned Friday from Kansas City, Mo. Miss Anne was graduated from Miss Barstow's School and expects to enter Vassar this fall.

FORT McDOWELL.

Fort McDowell, Calif., June 13, 1921.

Mrs. Ned Burnham and her daughter Barbara, of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Thomas P. Limbicker, of the Presidio of Monterey, are guests of Col. and Mrs. W. P. Burnham. Col. and Mrs. Irving W. Rand entertained with four tables of bridge June 4. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. T. Clement and Major William D. White. Miss Marjorie Powers, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Jane Powers, who has been a patient in the Letterman General Hospital for several weeks, returned home yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Craig, of Omaha, Neb., are visiting Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Deuberry. Mr. Malcolm McClure, of Nashville, Tenn., visited Capt. and Mrs. R. A. McClure last week.

Mrs. Edwin P. Hill, who has been visiting Capt. and Mrs. H. Lester Barrett, has returned to her home in Los Angeles. Edwin P. Hill, jr., of the University of California, stopped off on his way to Cuba and was the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. Lester Barrett, last week. Miss Edna Brown, of Manila, visited Capt. and Mrs. George Wray on June 6 and 7. Mrs. E. Y. Napier, of Nashville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Webb. Miss Margaret Webb left yesterday for a month's stay with friends in Mexico. Misses Sara and Margaret Webb, on the 5th had as visitors Misses Bernice and Violet Little, of San Francisco.

THIRD DIVISION NOTES.

Camp Pike, Ark., June 15, 1921.

The second performance of "A Woman's Way" was given on Wednesday night by the officers and ladies of the division for the Army Relief fund. It was largely attended and heartily applauded. On June 9 Mrs. T. McNeil gave a bridge tea at the Visitors' House for sixty of her friends.

Major and Mrs. Sidney Erickson have arrived and are living in the 7th Infantry area. Capt. and Mmes. Engles, Logan and Gale entertained at the Engles home on Tuesday night for Lieut. and Mrs. J. R. Wessely, who are leaving shortly. Lieut. for a month's camping trip to Red River, Ark. Col. W. C. Gardinier and Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Allen left for a month's camping trip to Red River, Ark.

Miss Hanson, of Memphis, is visiting Capt. and Mrs. Ayres, and Mrs. Gary and Miss Greer are guests of Major and Mrs. J. T. Rhett. Miss Elinor Sharpe, daughter of Major and Mrs. W. S. Sharpe, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary with a party for twenty children.

Col. and Mrs. O. Rosenbaum entertained the cast of the amateur performance of "A Woman's Way" at an informal supper party on Wednesday. Col. and Mrs. T. J. Powers gave a very original chicken-spaghetti party on Saturday for Col. and Mrs. Smith, Col. and Mrs. Goodrich, Major and Mrs. Wainwright, Major and Mrs. H. Lewis, Mrs. J. Waterman, Major A. Gardner, Capt. and Mrs. J. Butler, jr., and Capt. W. Green.

Mrs. Wright entertained at the Visitors' House on Tuesday with a bridge tea for fifty guests. Prizes were won by Mrs. Gary and Mrs. Tarleton. Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Shutter, 10th P.A., have arrived and are living temporarily in Captain Walsh's quarters.

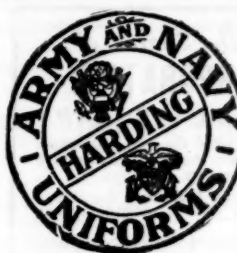
The first round of the handicap polo tournament was played off on Sunday with the following results: The 10th Field Artillery's first team beat the 76th P.A. 6 to 3, and the 10th P.A.'s second team scored over the 6th Engineers' team 10-2. The polo played was very fast and showed a marked increase in quality and speed over the polo played last year. Major J. M. Wainwright refereed.

Camp Pike, Ark., June 21, 1921.

Miss Sallie Gracie, of Little Rock, entertained Major and Mrs. Harry Lewis at dinner on Thursday. Mrs. Robert C. Hunter had nine tables of bridge at the Visitors' House on Thursday. Major and Mrs. J. E. Barzynski initiated the new open air pavilion with a dance on Saturday night for about 100 guests. Mmes. Wainwright, Waterman and Elliot entertained thirty-five friends at a luncheon at the Visitors' House on Tuesday. Lieut. and Mrs. E. C. Yoder entertained their regiment, the 6th Engineers, at a bridge on June 22.

Fourteen members of the 1920 3d Division football squad were recently presented with blankets by Brig. Gen. E. M. Lewis. The blankets were dark blue bordered with white, with the Division insignia placed in the center with the wording, "Army Champions of 1920," directly beneath, and the player's name in block letters in the lower right hand corner.

Dorothy Lee Winemiller, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. L. H. Winemiller, gave a charming birthday party to a number of her little friends on the post. Capt. Z. N. Estes gave a moonlight horseback ride, followed by a chicken dinner, for nineteen guests. The finals of the polo tournament were played off on Sunday afternoon, the second team of the 10th



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Lieut. and Mrs. Fitts gave a delightful party for about twenty last Wednesday evening at Oak Grove Inn, a tavern about fifteen miles from Little Rock toward Hot Springs. A chicken dinner was served, after which dancing was enjoyed for the remainder of the evening. The party included Captains Beck, Thebaud, Frizzell and Lovett, Lieutenants Moore, Coates, Berger and Whyne, Mesdames Moore, Beck, Lovett, Whyne, Berger and Miss Gant.

MADE ISLAND.

Mare Island, Calif., June 15, 1921

Comdr. and Mrs. George J. McMillan entertained at a dinner and bridge party last night for Capt. and Mrs. Charles Conard, Comdr. and Mrs. Charles S. Kerriek, Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley, Major and Mrs. Nelson P. Vulte, Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniels, Madame McDaniels, Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Frank J. Lowery and Lieutenant Commander Martin.

Lieut. James McPherson, C.C., Mrs. McPherson and their little son left last week for Bremerton for station. The night before they were complimented guests at a farewell dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McPherson. Capt. and Mrs. De Witt Blamer have taken apartments at the Claremont Hotel, in Berkeley, for the summer. Major J. E. Fagan, U.S.A., and Mrs. Fagan, the latter a sister of Mrs. Blamer, at the Claremont on Wednesday gave a dinner for the Blamers and Capt. and Mrs. Ray Spear.

Comdr. and Mrs. Harold G. Bowen have been entertaining Miss Egge, dean of Mills College. Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Beuret have as their guest Capt. and Mrs. McBride. Capt. and Mrs. Chester Wells spent a few days in San Francisco, en route from Newport to Australia. The Captain is on leave and they plan to spend some time visiting relatives and friends in the colonies.

Major and Mrs. A. E. Randall have as house guests for the summer Miss Edith Baush, of Somerset, Pa. Mrs. Randall has recovered from the effects of her recent operation for appendicitis. Lieut. Comdr. Charles M. Yates, assigned to the Great Lakes Training Station, will leave with Mrs. Yates for the East within a few days. Major Gen. George Barnett has been the incentive for a number of affairs given since his return from the East, including a dinner, over which Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lang presided.

A bridge party was given Friday by Mrs. Hugo W. Osterhaus in honor of Mrs. Campbell, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sharp, at the navy yard. The guests included Mrs. Downing, of Washington, mother of Mrs. Osterhaus; Mmes. Treadwell, See, Kerriek, Bowen, Johnson, Hepler and Vulte. Mrs. John M. Ellicott is spending a few days as the guest of friends in the Russian River country.

Miss Orytha Gatch is visiting Lieut. and Mrs. H. T. Stanley, Janet Crose that was, in Norfolk, Va. Later she is to spend some time with Major Gen. and Mrs. L. W. T. Waller in Philadelphia and at Atlantic City and on the way West will visit Major and Mrs. Arch Howard (Dorothy Bennett).

Invitations have been received here for the wedding of Miss Alice May Woodard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodard, and Lieut. Edwin H. Price, which will take place in Los Angeles on June 29. The latter is a cousin of Comdr. and Mrs. Wallace Bertholf. Miss Woodard is a popular member of the Los Angeles younger set. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. F. J. Wille have returned from a motor trip through Southern California.

Ensign and Mrs. Rodger Whitten Simpson left yesterday for San Diego, where they are to make their home for a few months. Their marriage was a recent event in Vallejo and before their departure they were the complimented guests at a prettily appointed party given by Lieut. and Mrs. D. F. Zimmerman, at which their friends had an opportunity of greeting them.

Mare Island, Calif., June 22, 1921.

Capt. and Mrs. John M. Ellicott have just returned from the Russian River country, where they spent ten days as guests of Mrs. Barros, of Vallejo, at her summer cottage.

Comdr. L. M. Cox has left for the East, where he will join Mrs. Cox and their daughter, Miss Catherine, who was among this year's graduates from Vassar, her mother going on to the commencement exercises. Miss Catherine is to make her debut in Louisville, Ky., where the family will spend some time before returning together to this station. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Charles M. Yates have left for the Great Lakes Training Station, for station. They have been visiting Mrs. Yates' parents in Vallejo and will spend some time with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph DeCelle, on their way East.

Mrs. Charles C. Hartigan with her two small children has arrived from the East to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Charles G. Norris, at her ranch at Saratoga. Comdr. and Mrs. Hartigan have recently returned from Rio de Janeiro. Comdr. and Mrs. L. S. Border and family are enjoying a two weeks' visit to the mountains above Auburn.

Mrs. F. R. King and small daughter have arrived from Alabama to spend the summer as guests of Comdr. and Mrs. Frank J. Wille. Mrs. King is the widow of Comdr. Frank R. King, who lost his life in the North Sea while his vessel was trawling for mines laid during the war. The little girl, born after the death of her father, bears his name. Comdr. and Mrs. Wille also have as their guest their daughter, Mrs. Cloman, wife of Lieutenant Cloman, who is here while his ship is at the station.

Comdr. and Mrs. H. L. Halslip have as their guest the former's mother, who is out from St. Paul for an extended visit.

FORT SNELLING.

Fort Snelling, Minn., June 18, 1921.

Mrs. N. W. Speece entertained Tuesday for the Afternoon Bridge Club. Col. and Mrs. William Bowen and Major and Mrs. Charles L. Mitchell motored from Missouri and have taken quarters in the Infantry garrison while these officers are on duty with the R.O.T.C. Major and Mrs. B. W. Feild entertained Sunday at supper. Capt. M. F. W. Oliver entertained on Children's Day for the children of the garrison.

Major Edward G. Sherburne is in charge of the supervised recreation hours of the 500 student-soldiers who are in the garrison to attend the R.O.T.C. camp which opened Thursday. The camp, under the command of Col. G. W. Moses, will close July 28. The student-soldiers are from Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas. Brig. Gen. Perry Harrison, in command of the 5th Infantry, Minnesota N.G., with his staff, visited the guard camp Thursday.

Mrs. Samuel D. Sturgis, wife of Major General Sturgis, of Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, has arrived in St. Paul to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. R. B. C. Bement, widow of Colonel Bement. Mrs. Sturgis will accompany her mother to Lake Owen, Wis., early in July, en route to Camp Sherman. She will return Aug. 1 to Lake Owen, to spend the remainder of the summer with her mother.

Ensign Milton Pino arrived Monday to spend a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Pino, St. Paul, and to be an usher at the marriage of his sister, Miss Reine Pino, and Robert E. Withy, jr., which took place Thursday evening. Lieut. Wendell P. Trower, U.S.A., who has been attending the Engineer Officers' School at Camp Humphreys, Va., has been assigned to the 12th Engineers at Camp Grant, Ill. Lieutenant Trower is spending a twenty-day leave with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Trower, St. Paul.

The officers and wives of the 49th Infantry entertained on Friday evening with a reception and dance in honor of the Minnesota N.G., encamped here. The reception was held on the lawn in front of the Officers' Club. In the receiving line were Col. and Mrs. A. W. Bjornstad, Colonel Harrison and Col. and Mrs. Fulton.

Fort Snelling, Minn., June 25, 1921.

Capt. and Mrs. N. W. Speece, 49th Inf., entertained Friday evening. Mrs. Edward G. Sherburne entertained Tuesday at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Parker, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and for Mmes. Sturtevant and Freehoff, Miss Marjorie Sturtevant and Mrs. L. T. Walker.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. C. H. Muller have motored up from Fort Crook, Nebr., and have taken quarters at the Officers' Club while Colonel Muller is on duty with the R.O.T.C. Lieut. Col. and Mrs. T. J. Rogers entertained Thursday at a dinner party. Capt. and Mrs. William Freehoff and son William, jr., of Fort Crook, arrived Friday and are guests of Major and Mrs. Sherburne. Mrs. Freehoff and Mrs. Sherburne are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are spending a few months here as guests of their son, Capt. G. E. Parker, 49th Inf. Capt. and Mrs. Paul R. Goode will leave Tuesday for the coast, sailing July 2 for station at Fort Seward, Alaska. Col. and Mrs. Firth, who have been residing in Minneapolis, have taken quarters in the Infantry garrison here. Mrs. L. R. Watrous entertained Tuesday for the Afternoon Card Club.

Col. and Mrs. A. S. Fleming, of Washington, D.C., en route to Portland, Ore., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt Corning at their summer home, White Bear Lake. On Monday they were honor guests at dinner and Col. and Mrs. Girard Sturtevant were invited to meet them. Major and Mrs. A. C. Balsam entertained Friday at dinner for Col. and Mrs. Bowen and Major and Mrs. Mitchell. Mrs. Hawley and son Harry have arrived from Ohio and have joined Major Hawley, who is on duty here with the R.O.T.C.

CHINA EXPEDITION, 15TH U.S. INF.

Tientsin, China, April 17, 1921.

The transport Warren arrived April 12, bringing a number of tourists and a large number of recruits for the 15th. The newcomers were treated to one of the fiercest and heaviest dust storms China has had in forty years. The storm lasted two days. Nearly all the time the land was in semi-darkness and clouds of heavy dirt and dust blew in all directions, even so far as fifty miles at sea, so the transport passengers were deluged with it. Dust on the ocean at last!

Colonel Talbot, M.C. of Manila, is on an inspection trip and while here is the guest of Col. and Mrs. George H. Scott. Lieut. and Mrs. Boniface Campbell and small daughter are guests of Lieut. and Mrs. William F. Johnson. Major and Mrs. John R. Musgrave and Anne Musgrave, of Corregidor, are guests at the Imperial Hotel, remaining over for a month's visit. Major and Mrs. Butler, also from Corregidor, are remaining over a boat.

Bridge tiffin hosts last week were Mrs. George S. Eyster and Mrs. John W. Thompson.

Capt. and Mrs. Houke entertained at dinner Friday in honor of Colonel Talbot. Capt. and Mrs. John W. Thompson gave a buffet supper in honor of Mrs. Sam Neff and Miss Florence Neff April 14. Mrs. Neff and Miss Neff sailed on the Warren to join Captain Neff in Manila, all sailing for the States in June.

Lieut. and Mrs. Johnson had as dinner guests on Friday, to meet Lieut. and Mrs. Campbell from Camp Stotsenburg, Capt. and Mrs. John W. Thompson. On April 11 Capt. and Mrs. Charles Lewis entertained with bridge and dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Burton, of Australia, and Capt. and Mrs. Thompson.

Capt. and Mrs. Pelzman had a large dinner party on April 16 for the officers and ladies of the medical garrison. Capt. and Mrs. Moon are guests of Capt. and Mrs. Ransom, from Tongshan, and Mrs. Sepulveda is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Lewis for a few days, coming up from Tongshan.

Tientsin, China, May 22, 1921.

Col. and Mrs. Scott gave an elaborate dinner in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Pelzman, a number of the medical garrison being guests. Mrs. Bryant Moore gave a beautiful bridge party for the pleasure of Mrs. Robert Ransom on Monday. Mrs. Lewis entertained at bridge and tea on May 4 for Mmes. Rising, Eyster, Houke, Johnson, Young, Thompson and March. Tea was served by Mrs. Harry Sepulveda, house guest of Mrs. Lewis. Capt. Harry Rising celebrated his birthday anniversary with a handsome stag dinner. Major John Robinson shared the honors, each having a huge birthday cake. The guests were Majors Robinson and Stanley, Captains Houke, Seifert, Lewis, Macon, Ferrin and Bowden, Lieutenants Carter, Alexander, Clear and Kelsor.

Reports from Leischuang indicate that despite the disagreeable, windy, dusty weather the record shooting is far better than last year, the entire battalion shooting with an average of ninety-seven per cent. Company F is in the lead for individual scores, and numbers of men qualified.

Capt. and Mrs. Robinson were hosts at a bridge supper on Saturday for five tables. Capt. and Mrs. Rising have as guests Capt. and Mrs. Woodward, of McKinley, and Lieut. and Mrs. Barriger, from Camp Stotsenburg.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Lewis entertained Friday with a bridge supper for Major and Mrs. Robinson, Capt. and Mrs. Macon, Rising, Sepulveda, with Lieut. and Mrs. Barriger and

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Capt. and Mrs. Woodward as honor guests. Capt. and Mrs. Woodward, Lieut. and Mrs. Barriger were honored with a supper at the Empire Café Saturday night, when Lieut. and Mrs. Sepulveda entertained for them.

Capt. and Mrs. Ransom were house guests of Capt. and Mrs. Eyster a few days before sailing for the States. Mrs. Grady Hutchinson gave a beautiful bridge tiffin on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Ransom. The ladies of the Jean D'Arc Villas were present.

One of the largest parties of the season was the farewell party given by the bachelors' mess, at 18 Villa Jean D'Arc, in honor of Lieutenant Carter, who sails for the States to-day. The hosts were Lieutenants Bonville, Alexander, Moore, and the guests the married couples from the Villas.

The transport brought the new commanding officer, Colonel Sloane, with Mrs. Sloane. The officers' personnel of the regiment, with the band, gave Col. and Mrs. Sloane a cordial greeting when he arrived. They have taken a house in the French concession and will soon be at home. Meantime they are being warmly welcomed.

To-day Major and Mrs. Noble J. Wiley entertained the entire officers' personnel, with their wives, at a delightful "at home" to meet Col. and Mrs. Sloane. The regimental silver was used and the decorations most dainty. Music was rendered by the 15th U.S. band during the afternoon.

PEARL HARBOR NOTES.

Pearl Harbor, Honolulu, H.T., June 5, 1921.

Mrs. Katherine Heppie and her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Arnold, sailed aboard the Matsonia for the coast on Wednesday. They have been house guests of Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan for four and a half months. Complimenting Mrs. Madeline Palmer, the house guest of Comdr. and Mrs. Emrich, Capt. and Mrs. T. B. Gale entertained with a jolly picnic at the Marine rifle range on Sunday. Capt. and Mrs. Charles P. Kindelberger will leave Pearl Harbor on the next available transport, Captain Kindelberger to take command of the Naval Hospital at Bremerton, Wash.

Mrs. J. C. Thom was the incentive for a dinner given by

Capt. and Mrs. T. B. Gale on Friday for Comdrs. and Mmes. Orr, Lapham and Emrich, Lieut. Comdrs. and Mmes. Alexander, Dickenson, Lapham, Lieut. Comdr. J. C. Thom, Mrs. Madeline Palmer, Lieut. Brython Davis.

Miss Katherine Shoemaker has as her house guest Miss Martha Bocum, of San Francisco. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan celebrated their wedding anniversary on Friday with a picnic supper at the home of Comdr. and Mrs. Harry Orr at Waikiki. The other picnickers were Capt. J. G. Church, Mrs. P. K. Robottom, Mrs. B. M. Wilcox, Lieut. Comdr. T. A. Fortescue, Med. Corps, Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick, Judge S. C. Franklin, Lieuts. L. S. Lewis, John Lusk and B. S. Kilmaster.

Miss Miriam Emrich, small daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. R. P. Emrich, is confined to her home on account of chicken pox. The small son of Comdr. and Mrs. C. W. Nimitz, who has been seriously ill, is rapidly regaining his health. Mrs. F. N. Pugaley and two children, who left for the mainland about a month ago, will return to Pearl Harbor on the July transport.

Major and Mrs. E. P. Moses, Capt. J. G. Church, Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick and Comdr. and Mrs. I. I. Yates enjoyed auction bridge as the guests of Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan at their quarters on Wednesday evening.

Hosts of the week include the following: Mrs. B. M. Wilcox at luncheon and cards on Friday; Lieut. and Mrs. H. H. Phipps at dinner and bridge on Saturday; Capt. and Mrs. C. P. Kindelberger at dinner and cards on Thursday. Major and Mrs. E. P. Moses entertained at cards on Friday evening for Col. and Mrs. J. T. Myers, Comdr. and Mrs. I. I. Yates and Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan.

Mrs. P. C. Ransom entertained the wives of the officers attached to the Submarine Division and the U.S.S. Rainbow at an informal supper last Thursday. Mrs. S. E. Dickenson was hostess to a large party at a bridge tea on Friday. Mrs. A. C. Headlee was a bridge luncheon hostess on Friday for Mmes. E. V. Miller, H. H. Phipps and Miss Davis and others.

Mrs. P. K. Robottom gave a four-table bridge luncheon at her home on Beach Walk on Wednesday. Last Saturday Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. E. B. Lapham entertained in honor of Mrs. J. C. Thom at a Chinese supper party. Miss Katherine Shoemaker was hostess at a week-end party last week. Her guests included Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Kilgariff, Miss Marie Brok and



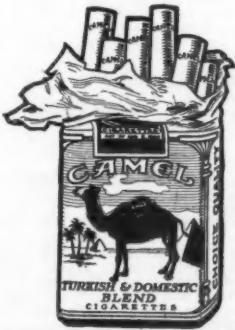
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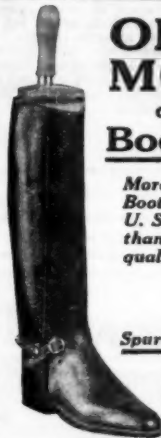


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Lieut. V. A. Dash. Mrs. Harry A. Orr was a dinner hostess for ten on Wednesday.

HAWAIIAN NOTES.

Schofield Barracks, H.T., June 12, 1921.

Lieut. and Mrs. C. R. Jones entertained with a movie party and supper on Thursday for Lieut. and Mrs. Hugh McC. Evans and Capt. and Mrs. S. A. Wood. Major and Mrs. G. T. Everett entertained at bridge on Thursday for Major and Mrs. Gilman, Capt. and Mrs. W. P. Scobey and H. C. Brown. On Tuesday evening Capt. and Mrs. P. J. Lloyd entertained the 44th Infantry Bridge Club. Mrs. P. J. Lloyd was hostess for the 44th Infantry Bridge Club on Wednesday.

After the ball game on Friday Major and Mrs. Devore gave a tea for Majors and Mmes. Dannemiller and Bradley, Capt. and Mmes. Upson, McNeill, Murray, Scobey, Brown, Mrs. Frank Caum and Lieut. Norman Caum. On Sunday Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Sillman entertained at supper for Majors and Mmes. Devore and Howard. On Friday night the 17th Cavalry gave a beautiful hop in the pavilion of the Officers' Club as their regimental dance. Preceding the hop Lieut. Harry Mewshaw entertained with a dinner on Friday for Majors and Mmes. Richart and McMurdo, Capt. and Mmes. Thompson, Barnhart and Williamson.

Capt. and Mrs. Leon E. Ryder gave a supper on Friday for Col. and Mrs. J. D. Hartman, Mrs. Ryder, Major, and Mrs. Conrad, Capt. and Mrs. Wilder, Stroh, Miss Mary Fuller, Miss Anne Ashley, Miss Dorothy Ashley, Lieut. and Mrs. Caldwell, Lieutenants Isaacs and Hunt, Major and Mrs. A. M. Milton entertained at dinner for Majors and Mmes. Reynolds, Hazeline, McNair and White, all from Honolulu, and Major and Mrs. J. Swing, Colonel Davidson, Capt. and Mrs. Kilgariff and Lieut. S. Lipman, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Kuhn also entertained at dinner. Col. and Mrs. J. B. Clayton entertained Col. and Mmes. Owen, Ryan and Hayden, Mrs. Rogers, Major and Mrs. J. Rogers and Capt. and Mrs. Bardsley from Honolulu at dinner at the Haleiwa Hotel.

Capt. and Mrs. D. Stroh entertained at dinner at Haleiwa on Saturday for Col. and Mrs. W. Dashiell, Miss Florence Hudgins and Mrs. Sykes. Mrs. Wight had a dinner at Haleiwa on Saturday for Majors and Mmes. Milton, McMurdo and Drollinger, Col. and Mrs. J. Garrard and Captain Funk. Major and Mrs. Drollinger gave a picnic supper at Haleiwa on Sunday

for Mrs. Wight, Miss Regina Quail, Misses Anne and Dorothy Ashley, Lieutenants Isaacs, Hunt and Funk. Capt. and Mrs. Harold Eastwood gave a dinner on Friday for Capt. and Mmes. Cole, Kony and Merrill, Lieut. and Mrs. C. Wells, Captains Dobyns, Hartman and Antinovich and Lieutenant Stingle.

Major and Mrs. D. G. Richart entertained with a bridge party for twenty-four on Thursday. Miss Florence Hudgins was hostess for the 35th Infantry Bridge Club on Friday.

An engagement of interest to all the people on the post has just been announced. Mrs. David Center announces the engagement of her daughter, Helen, to Lieut. D. A. Jones, formerly 17th Cav., now stationed at Cheyenne, Wyo. Mrs. Center and Miss Center are now visiting in Chicago.

On Saturday evening Capt. and Mrs. Barnhart gave a bridge party for Majors and Mmes. McMurdo, Chandler, Richart and Milton, and fifteen others.

The ladies of the 44th Infantry on Friday gave a bridge tea in honor of Miss Regina Quail, whose engagement has been announced to Capt. E. Rudelius, 44th Inf. Mrs. W. K. Jones was hostess. Those present were Mmes. Caldwell, Howard, Milne, Everett, Dannemiller, Summers, Gilman, Lloyd, Horan, Caum, Fritsche, Upson, Brown, Scobey, Miller, Sillman, Bradley, Devore, Hayden, Murray and Kendall. The 35th Infantry Bridge Club was entertained by Major and Mrs. R. V. Venable on Thursday evening. Lieut. and Mrs. R. C. Wells entertained with bridge on Tuesday evening for twenty guests, including Captain Rudelius and Miss Quail.

Mrs. P. J. Lloyd gave a large bridge tea on Tuesday. Mrs. George Moore was hostess for the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club of the 17th Cavalry.

Lieut. and Mrs. W. R. Peck announce the birth of a son, Walter Raymond, Jr., born at the Tripler General Hospital at Fort Shafter. Mrs. Charles Kendall was hostess for the 13th Field Artillery Bridge Club on Tuesday. Major and Mrs. H. McMurdo gave a dinner on Sunday evening at the 17th Cavalry Officers' Club for Capt. and Mmes. Cole, Thompson and Wilder and Miss Mary Fuller. Capt. and Mrs. Leon E. Ryder and Mrs. M. H. Ryder were guests of Mrs. Minnie Churchill, of Wallula, on Sunday. On Friday Major and Mrs. Clarke Chandler entertained Mrs. S. Reynolds, Mrs. Wise, Lieut. Harry Mewshaw and C. Shannon at dinner.

Mrs. W. K. Jones gave a luncheon for twelve in honor of Mrs. Leroy Eltinge. Mrs. C. J. Wilder honored Mrs. Leroy Eltinge at a luncheon for sixteen on Thursday.

Mrs. Joseph Cusack, who recently underwent a serious opera-

tion at the Tripler General Hospital at Fort Shafter, is improving rapidly.

Mrs. J. K. Bodell gave a surprise party in honor of Mrs. B. Sykes on Wednesday evening. Col. and Mrs. Lewis B. Ryan entertained at bridge for thirty on Wednesday evening. On Saturday evening Col. and Mrs. G. M. Brooke entertained with bridge for Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Kuhn, Col. and Mrs. Garrard, Majors and Mmes. Drollinger, Dickens, Gillespie and Kendall, Capt. and Mmes. McColister, Parmelee, Kinnard and Ducat. Major and Mrs. S. Howard gave a dinner at the Moana Hotel in Honolulu on Wednesday for Col. Beverly P. Brown, Majors and Mmes. McMurdo, Richart, Milton, Summers, Chandler, Gilman and Everett. Mrs. C. R. Jones gave a large bridge tea in honor of Miss Mary Fuller on Thursday at the 35th Infantry Officers' Club.

Col. and Mrs. J. D. Leitch sailed on the transport Buford for the States after being the guests of Col. and Mrs. W. Dashiell for several weeks. Major and Mrs. S. Reynolds, of Fort DeRussy, gave a supper party for Capt. and Mrs. O. Tyler, who sailed on the Buford. Mrs. Leroy Eltinge and Miss Margaret Eltinge arrived on the Buford to be the guests of Col. and Mrs. J. B. Clayton for several weeks before sailing for the Philippine Islands to join Colonel Eltinge.

On June 1 the entire commissioned and enlisted personnel of the 11th Field Artillery celebrated the birthday of the regiment at the beach at Haleiwa.

Capt. and Mrs. M. D. Holmes, of the 17th Cavalry, are receiving congratulations on the arrival on May 28 of a son, who will be called Donald Edward.

The Schofield Barracks Musical Club met with Mrs. Hammond Monroe. A very interesting paper was read by Mrs. A. B. Conrad on "The Life of Puccini and a Sketch of the Life of Madame Butterfly." The program included a piano solo by Mrs. D. Richart, selection from Madame Butterfly; vocal solo by Mrs. J. P. Horan, "One Fine Day," from Madame Butterfly, accompanied by Mrs. D. Richart; paper by Mrs. Spelman, "The Life of Cadman"; mixed quartet, composed of Miss Mabel Sawbridge, Mrs. James Hughes, Major Charles Kendall and Capt. Ben Sawbridge, "Spirit of Spring," Cadman, accompanied by Mrs. Oliver Dickenson; vocal solos by Miss Mabel Sawbridge, "From the Land of the Sky Blue Water" and "The Moon Drops Low," both by Cadman (accompanist, Capt. Ben Sawbridge); violin duet by Capt. and Mrs. V. Batchelor, Melody in F, Rubenstein (accompanist, Mrs. D. Richart).